



REALfishingboathas at last been found. Amberjack the fast little cruiser shown above driving through a sea, has been designed and built particularly for fishing and general service for Messrs. H. C. Irons and L. R. Connett of Ormond, Fla. Amberjack was designed by James Hussey of the Greenport Basin & Construction Company and was fitted with a six cylinder, 200 h.p. Hall-Scott marine engine. The flexibility of this power plant is such that it is possible to regulate the speed from two or three miles per hour when trolling, up to a maximun of 23 m.p.h. when the engine is allowed to do its work.

Amberjack is a happy combination of cruiser, since its cabin arrangement is designed to accommodate two persons, while the very ample cockpit and bridge deck take care of all gear and tackle used for the fishing expeditions, or provide space for an afternoon pleasure run with an agreeable party.

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Some specially designed features incorporated into this boat are distinctly novel. An external circulating water system using fresh water with a cooling tube along the keel, eliminates the necessity of using the turbid Florida waters when cruising in the rivers, which are so filled with floating vegetable matter that engines are shortly put out of com-mission. Another fea-ture is the very reason-able draft of 26-inches, which permits operation in shoal areas, otherwise

inaccessible. Tests made with the boat under full load conditions and with all the additional gear carried, showed that she was able to do 23.1 miles with the engine turning up 1750 revolutions. By her ability Amberjack will be able to travel far out to sea in order to reach the best fishing grounds, and since this is the purpose for which her owners intend to use her most, her speed will prove a very desirable quality.

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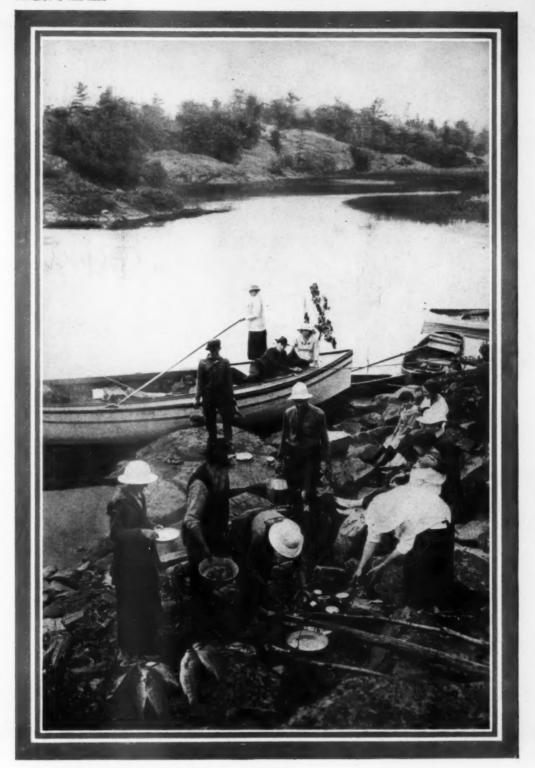
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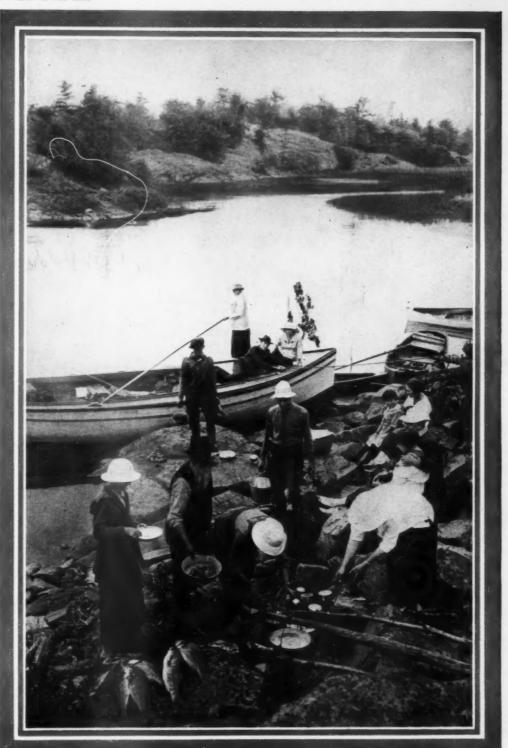
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#### MONHEGAN SUNSET

by

Eric Hudson

Courteey of International Studio





YOU MAY HAVE HEARD THIS BEFORE.

I MEAN THAT THIS IS GOING TO BE THE BEST YEAR EVER FOR MOTOR BOATMEN. BUT IT'S TRUER NOW THAN EVER. BOATS AND MOTORS ARE BETTER THAN THEY EVER WERE, AND FOLLOWERS OF THE SPORT ARE MORE NUMEROUS AND MORE ENTHUSIASTIC.

And then we have a great deal to be thankful for. For instance, that the alleged merry month of may is behind us. In these waters at least, may was a bad 'un. She showed a wicked, stormy temper, and did what she could to delay the fitting-out of boats. But if the law of averages amounts to anything we may expect fair weather in june.

June sees the first long distance race of the season—the windjammers' classic event to bermuda. The only thing that I don't like about this race is the opportunity it gives the penny-a-liners to refer to bermuda as the onion-patch. Aside from that it is a noble race, offering unlimited occasion to boats and men to show what they're made of. And they will show that there is excellent stuff in them, just as they did last year.

The first motor boat races of importance are those of the mississippi valley association, at peoria, when the flower of the mid-western racing fleet gathers for its annual regatta. After that the motor boat cruisers of long island sound have their innings, with cruiser and express cruiser races following each other in rapid succession. There will be races at middletown, conn., and others from the western end of the sound to shelter island, to be followed there by the cruiser championship of america, which takes place in august. This event will draw the most select and finest cruising boats from the entire countryside.

**B**UT RACES, WHILE SPECTACULAR, ARE NOT THE WHOLE OF MOTOR BOATING. WEEK-DAYS AND SUNDAYS, GOOD WEATHER AND BAD, THE SPORT OFFERS ITSELF TO SEA LOVERS. IF YOU HAVE BEEN SWORN AT RECENTLY BY A TRAFFIC COP, IF YOU HAVE BEEN RUN OVER BY A TAXICAB, OR IF YOU HAVE BREATHED THE DUST OF MAIN STREET, YOU WILL BE GLAD THAT JUNE IS HERE, AND WITH IT THE AQUATIC SPORT OF KINGS.



Nantucket, a new 40-footer just completed for Frederick S. Fish, owner of the 120-foot schooner Moby Dick



#### One of the Newest



Fast 40-Foot Cruiser Designed and Built by The Consolidated Shipbuilding Corporation and Equipped with Twin Screws

NE of the first of the new boats to make an appearance in New York waters this season was Nantucket, a smart 40-footer designed and built by the Consolidated Shipbuilding Corporation at Morris Heights, New York City, for Frederick Studebaker Fish. Mr. Fish is a member of the New York Yacht Club and also owns Moby Dick, a 120-foot auxiliary schooner. Nantucket is powered with two 180 h.p. Speedway engines which drive her at a speed of better than 25 miles.

The large after cockpit for day sailing is one of the at-

tractive features of the boat. Forward on the port side, the steering wheel and engine controls are located. The engines are located under trunk cabin, forward of which there are two built-in berths, galley and toilet room. In Nantucket the designers have combined speed and comfort. So many of the recent boats of this type have featured speed at the expense of accommodations that the Consolidated builders have developed designs of forty- and fifty-footers which give ample accommodations with excellent speed.



Nantucket is fast, for her two 180 h. p. Speedway engines drive her at better than 25 miles. The twin screw equipment is a safety feature insisted on by the owner

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I am perhaps what you'd call a bug for speed

says

#### COLONEL JESSE G. VINCENT

Colonel Jesse G. Vincent is a self-made engineer and one of those men who play as hard as they work. The historic Gold Cup which he won in the 1923 Regatta at Detroit with one of the several boats which he entered and per-sonally tuned for the event

OOKING into Colonel Jesse G. Vincent's life we find him a stub-toed urchin going to a country school, near Pana, Ill.

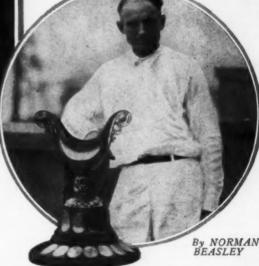
Perhaps Dr. George B. Cutten, president of Colgate University, had Vincent, among a group of men in mind, when he said in a recent interview:

"Eighty percent of the leading business men of this country were brought up in rural communities and owe their subsequent success to the thoroughness of the fundamental training they received in the farm homes of their boyhood." Because, as told, Vincent had his beginning on a farm.

He was born in Charleston, Ark., February 10, 1880, and after getting his country school education he entered Cote Brillint Grammar School, in St. Louis, Mo. Graduating from grammar school he started out to gain a general bookkeeping and business education with Smith, Vincent & Co., commission merchants, in St. Louis.

Two years—1897 and 1898—convinced him that handling inert vegetables and alert chickens (this is not meant to be facetious) contained no extraordinary thrill so one day he wiped his pen, shoved aside his high stool and enlisted as an apprentice in a machine and tool shop in St. Louis.

Now he was happy. His employers soon recognized his inventive genius and he was shoved along—sufficiently so that in 1922 he attracted the attention of the Burroughs



Adding Machine Co., in Detroit and after some dickering he moved to Detroit. This was in 1903. Until 1910 he was superintendent of inventions at the Burroughs plant. Vincent's mechanical genius had always run to gasoline motors. That's what he loved and the automobile industry was beginning to fad for feeting in the Michines. was beginning to find firm footing in the Michigan metropolis. When approached with a proposition from the Hudson Motor Car Co., to accept a job as chief engineer it didn't take Vincent two minutes to decide. He went.

Two years with the Hudson company and came an offer from the Packard Motor Car Company to become affiliated with its organization. He took that and on August 10, 1917, he became vice president in charge of engineering for the Packard. In the meantime, the fracas in Europe had spread across, and around the world so it was but natural that Vincent with his aptitude for precise things in combustion engines, should become deeply interested in the designing of a new motor.

That became his particular job (Continued on page 84)

## UNDER the JOLLY ROGER

by PETER B. KYNE

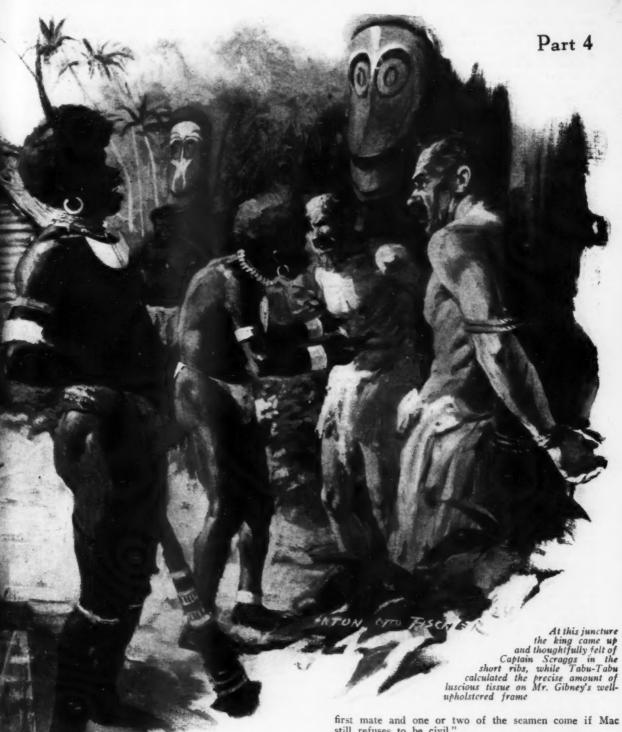


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Gibney.

ashore for the feast. Mr. Gibney, himself rather illumin-

ting the keg of Three Star thoughtfully provided by Mr.



ated by this time, thought it might not be a bad idea.

"It's a rotten shame, Scraggsy," he said, "to think of that fool McGuffey not bein here to enjoy himself. I'm goin' to send a note out to him by one of Tabu-Tabu's boys, askin' him once more to come ashore, or to let the

Illustrated by ANTON OTTO FISCHER

first mate and one or two of the seamen come if Mac still refuses to be civil."

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"Good idea, Gib," said Captain Scraggs, his mouth full of roast chicken and yams. So Mr. Gibney tore a leaf out of his pocket memorandum book, scrawled a note to McGuffey, and handed it to Tabu-Tabu, who at once dispatched a messenger with it to the Maggie II.

Within half an hour the messenger returned. He was wildly excited and poured a torrent of native gibberish into the attentive ears of Tabu-Tabu and the king. He pointed several times to the point of his jaw, rubbed the small of his back, and once he touched his nose; whereupon Mr. Gibney was aware that the said organ had a slight list to port, and he so informed Captain Scraggs.

Neither of the gentlemen had the slightest trouble in arriving at the correct solution of the mystery. messenger had been incontinently kicked overboard by B.

McGuffey, Esquire.
Tabu-Tabu's wild eyes glittered and grew wilder and wilder as the messenger reported the indignity thus heaped upon him. The king scowled at Captain Scraggs, and Mr. Gibney was suddenly aware that goose-flesh was breaking out on the backs of his sturdy legs. He had a haunting sensation that not only had he crawled into a hole, but he had pulled the entire aperture in after him. For the first time he began to fear that he had been too precipitate, and with the thought it occurred to the gallant commodore that he would be much safer back on the decks of the Maggie II. Always crafty and imaginative, however, Mr. Gibney came quickly to the front with an excuse for getting back to the ship. He stepped quickly toward the little group around the outraged royal ambassador, and inquired the cause of the disturbance. Quivering with rage, Tabu-Tabu informed him of what had occurred.

Mr. Gibney's rage, of course, knew no bounds. Nevertheless, he did not have to simulate his rage, for he was truly furious. When he could control his emotions, he requested Tabu-Tabu to inform the king that he, Gibney,

accompanied by Captain Scraggs, would forthwith repair to the schooner and then and there flay the offending McGuffey within an inch of his life. Suiting the action to the word, Mr. Gibnev called to Captain Scraggs to folhim, and started for the low beach.

As Captain Scraggs arose, a trifle unsteadily, from his seat, a black hand reached around him from the rear and closed over his mouth. Now, Captain Scraggs was well versed in the roughand-tumble tactics of the San Francisco waterfront; hence, when he felt a long pair of arms crossing over his neck from the he merely stooped and whirled his opponent over his head. In that instant his mouth was free, and clear above the shouting and the tumult rose his

frenzied shriek for help. Mr. Gibney whirled with the speed and agility of a panther just in time to dodge a blow from a war club. His fist collided with the jaw of Tabu-Tabu, and down went that savage as if pole-axed.

Pandemonium broke loose at once. Captain Scraggs, after his single shriek for help, broke from the circle of savages and fled like a frightened rabbit for the beach. One of the natives hurled a rock at him. The missile took Scraggs in the back of the head, and he instantly curled

up in a heap.
"Scraggsy's dead," thought the horrified Gibney, sprang at the king. In that moment it came to Mr. Gibney to sell out dearly, and if he could dispose of the king, he felt that Scraggs's death would be avenged. In an instant the commodore's great arms had closed around the king, and with the helpless monarch in his grizzly bear grip Mr. Gibney backed up against the nearest bungalow. A fringe of spears threatened him in front, but for the moment he was safe behind, and the king's body protected him. When-ever one of the savages made a jab at Mr. Gibney, Mr. Gibney gave the king a boa-constrictor squeeze, and the monarch howled.

"I'll squeeze him to death," panted Mr. Gibney to Tabu-Tabu when that individual had managed to pick himself up. "Let me go, or I'll kill your king."

The answer was an earthenware pot which crashed down on Mr. Gibney's head from a window in the bungalow behind him. He sagged forward and fell on his face with

On board the Maggie II B. McGuffey, Esquire, had just gotten into position the Maxim-Vickers "pom-pom" gun on top of the house. The last bolt that held it in place

had just been screwed tight when clear and shrill over the tops of the jungle and across the still surface of the little bay there floated to McGuffey's ears the single word: "Help!"

McGuffey leaned against the gun, and for the moment he was as weak as a child. "Gawd," he muttered, "that was Scraggsy and they're a-goin' to eat him up. Oh, Gib, Gib, old man. why wouldn't you listen to me? Now they're got you, and what in blazes I'm going to do to get you back, dead or alive, I dunno."

McGuffey could hear the cries and general uproar from the wari, though he could not see what was taking place. In a minute or two, however, all was once more silent, silence having descended on the scene simultaneously with the descent of the earthenware pot on Mr. Gibney's head.

"It's all over," said McGuffey sadly to the mate.

"They've killed 'em both." Whereupon B. McGuffey, Esquire, sat down on the cabin ventilator, pulled out a bandana handkerchief and wept into it, for his honest Irish heart was breaking.

It was fully half an hour before poor McGuffey could pull himself together, and when he did, his grief was superseded by a fit of rage that was terrible to behold. "Step lively, you blasted scum of the seas," he bawled

to the mate, and the crew gathered around the gun. "Lug up a case of ammunition and we'll shell that bush until even a parrot won't be left alive in it."
"Aye, aye, sir," responded the

crew to a man, and sprang to

their task.

"I'm an old navy said the first mate quietly. "I'll handle the gun. With a 'pompom' gun it's just like playing a garden hose on them, only it's high-explosive shell instead of water. I can search out every nook and cranny in the coast of this island. Those guns are sighted up to 4,000 yards.'

"Kill 'em all," raved McGuf-"kill all the blasted niggers."

When Mr. Gibney fell under the impact of the earthenware pot he was only partially stunned. As he tried to struggle

to his feet half a dozen hands were laid on him and in a trice he was lifted and carried back of the wari to a clear space where a dozen heavy teakwood posts stood in a row about four feet apart. Mr. Gibney was quickly stripped of his clothing and bound hand and foot to one of these posts. Three minutes later another delegation of cannibals arrived, bearing the limp, naked body of Captain Scraggs, whom they bound in similar fashion to the post beside Mr. Gibney. Scraggs was very white and bloody, but conscious, and his pale-blue eyes were flickering like a snake's.

"What's-what's-the meanin' of this, Gib?" he gasped.
"It means," replied the commodore, "that it's all off but the shouting with me and you, Scraggsy. This fellow Tabu-Tabu is a damned traitor, and his people are still cannibals. He's the decoy to get white men ashore. They schemed to treat us nice and be friendly until they could get the whole crew ashore, or enough of them to leave the ship helpless, and then—O Gawd, Scraggsy, old man, can you ever forgive me for gettin' you into this?"

Captain Scraggs hung his head and quivered like a

hooked fish.

"Will they-eat-us?" he quavered, finally.

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Mr. Gibnev did not answer, only Captain Scraggs looked into his horrified eyes and read the verdict.

"Die game, Scraggsy," was all Mr. Gibney could say.

"Don't show the white feather."

"D'ye think McGuffey could hear us from here if we was to yell for help?" inquired Captain Scraggs hopefully.

"Don't yelp, for Gawd's sake," implored Mr. Gibney.

"We got ourselves into this, so let's pay the fiddler ourselves. If we let out one yip and McGuffey hears it, he'll come ashore with his crew (Continued on page 128)

MORE STORIES TO COME

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story as unfolded by Peter B. Kyne,

will hold your interest to the final period. The next story will be called The Robinson Crusoe Syndi-

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Editor.

There are still several excellent

heroes in their search for



Corisande has an easily sustained speed of 30 m.p.h., but can go faster

#### Corisande Moves Fast

Fast Express Cruiser of the Gar Jr. Flier Type Joins the Commuting Fleet on Long Island Sound

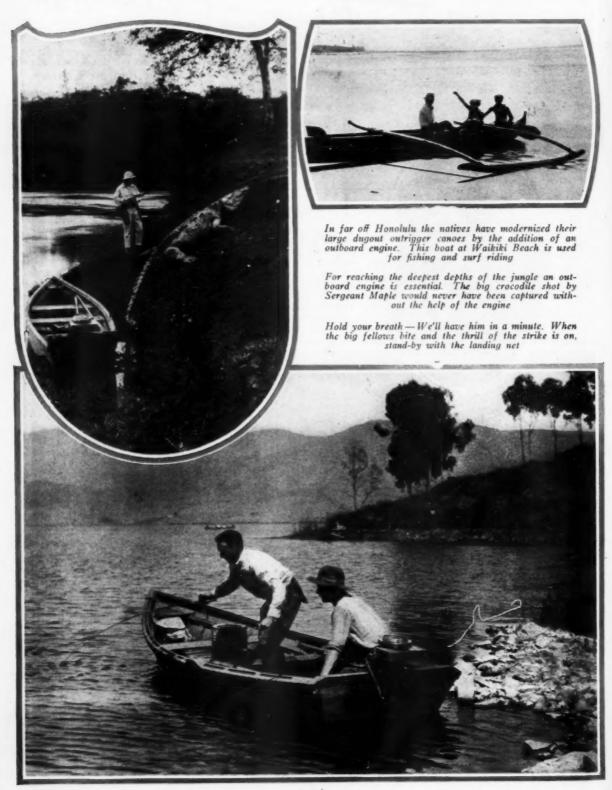
Portion of the deck showing comfort-able seats and entrances to cabin

UST about ready to begin a new season of fast cruising on Long Island Sound, is Corisande, one of the newest of the Gar Jr. flyers, completed towards the end of last year for Marshall Field, and delivered to him through Cox & Stevens, New York. Many special features were embodied in her construction. On an over-all length of 50 feet, she can maintain a speed of 30 miles per hour without effort. This was guaranteed by the builders, Gar Wood, Inc., and was exceeded by a very considerable margin on her trial trips. The power installation is similar to that of other boats of this type and consists of a pair of 450 h.p. twin six Liberty motors, converted to marine service by Gar Wood, Inc. The bridge is roomy and provides comfortable seating for from ten to twelve persons.



The interior of the after cabin is strikingly upholstered. The unusual feature of covering the entire interior cabin space presents a very novel appearance

# The Season Opens-



# Let's Go

The Active Sportsman In Pursuit of His Game In All Waters is Helped on His Way By The Powerful Little Motor Carried On The Stern

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A beautiful salmon pass between
the Revilla Gegedo Islands. Nature's beauty spots
which can be
reached in no
other way than by
boat, and so much
more satisfactorily when that boat
is equipped with a
sturdy outboard
engine. The boat,
cam ping outfit,
and the inclination, are all that
are necessary

When the ice begins to break up
on Twin Glacier
Lake the eager
sports men are
ready for the first
trip of a new
spring. The engine is attached to
the boat and off
they go. In the
background is
West Twin Glacier one of the
most picturesque of
Alaskan mountains



**HUCK Says** 

## EVERYBODY

Full Directions for the Design, Construction and Launching of a Most Unusual Craft, the Six Footer Guava



Huck with an expert eye selects the high grade lumber for building Guava

ELL Chap, I gets back to Boston and I gets over the party that you and your low friends, they gives me in New York and I just about is ready to settle down to some useful work when I gets a fresh letter from you and you says why doesn't I call you up before I leaves New York like a gentlemen. Now if you only knows the facts, I only wakes up in time to hook onto the after deck of the one o'clock train just as it pulls out of the dock, so howthehell could I call you up even if I knows you wants me to call you up, which I doesn't. Then you goes on to say what you is paying me for the facts I gives your readers about what speed boats, they is really

like down at Miami. I confesses that although it is short of the two thousand I tells you it costs me to get those facts, I is some surprised at your munificence because I knows your idea of running a yachting maga-zine, it is to let the advertisers pay in everything and pay your writers nothing. Then worst of all, you says I must write another story, knowing I doesn't know any other stories. So I has been losing a lot of sleep, trying to decide what I enlightens your readers about next and I finally decides I knows a lot more about this designing and building of boats than most of these fellers that writes for your paper so I decides I designs a boat and tells your readers how they should put it together and what they does with it after they gets it put together. So I sets to work and designs Guava.

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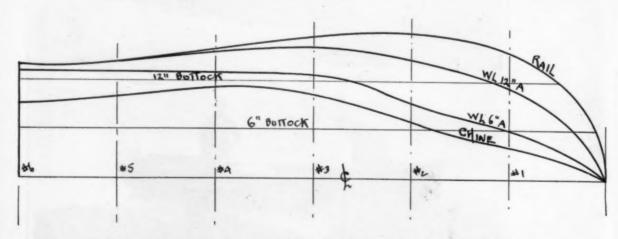
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Any feller with a supple wrist, he can build this boat. No feller what has never tried it he doesn't know the thrill of creation until he tries it. I thus gives everybody, pretty near, a chance to build this swell little craft, that they can carry in the back seat of the Ford, stand up in the hall closet or sticks it up on top of the piano and fills it with fragrant flowers.

The tools required, they is a minium number for a maxium results. A stout can opener, a heavy corkscrew, and a ordinary meat grinder, they will do in the hands of a feller what is skillful-like but you saves yourself a lot of ripping of the plank if you fits a circular saw to the



The lines for Guava, the 6-foot wonder, will astonish you. Scale, 1 centimeter equals 3937 inch

# BUILD A BOAT

wife's sewing machine, especially if you kids her into furnishing the power.

Guava it can be built anywheres, but a inspiring at-mosphere like in the living room is the best place to start the battil. If you lives in a apartment, you never before has such a opportunity to get even with the low persons who lives next door, who persists in giving gin parties to which they doesn't invite you, or if you is one of those fellers what is trying to get out of his lease, you has to do is to work right late into the night on The landlord, he will be very glad to give you the air by the time you gets her keel laid.

For materials, you orders to start with 2000 feet board measure of oak planks 1½ inches thick. Some of you wise guys who thinks you knows it all about boatbuilding, you will think I makes the plank a trifle heavy, but

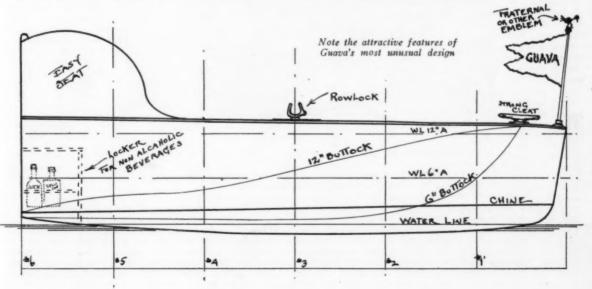
you never knows when you is going to hit a rock, and besides, I always has been a advocate of heavy construction for everything but women and brains. You only needs about 100 feet of this lumber to actually use in Guava but the average amature, he cuts up his stock regardless and I figures he needs about 1900 feet to saw up wrong before he settles down to serious work. I has a friend a trustee he calls himself. Some years ago, when I builds Kex II he was desiring to help or something—I never determines his real motives—he spends six hours of time and he chews up 211 feet of stock trying to fit a piece of electric light moulding between two partitions what was only twenty inches apart. After awhile his hand it slips—he saws off a piece a inch short



Huck's well equipped work shop in which he sometimes does some useful work

of what he marks it and he finds it fits but I nearly has nervous prostrations. In fact if you is a trustee or what they calls a successful corporation lawyer or if you is higher up than fourth vice president in some solvent bank, I strongly recommends you leaves Guava alone, as the limitation of ability in such fellers is apalling. They can't do nothing useful.

Besides the oak, you needs a few natural crooks for the frames—not some of these New York Citizens we reads so much about in the papers, you understands, but natural hackmatack ones—wooden ones. You probably feels happier to buy a large supply of nails, spikes, screws, rivets





The amphibious Huck, hard at work, with his left hand he types the story while the right hand prepares the design

and other doings but I advises you whatever you buys, it ain't what you needs when the time comes and you might so well makes up your mind that you has to make a trip to the hardware store daily anyways. But one thing that you does need without doubt is a lot of caulking cotton and seam composition. I don't care how hard you tries, you leaves some awful cracks in your planks and I knows before-hand, you spends a lot of time driving in the caulking and gobbing up the

seams with goosum. When it comes to designing this boat, I draws on all the arts and sciences that I knows, and I repeats, these other birds what write for MOTOR BOATING, they knows nothing about yacht design to what compared You studies I does. the drawings, they tells you how Guava is made without bothering to read anything that I writes, in fact the more you knows about naval architecture and the more you examines the drawings the more impressed you You

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really doesn't need no in-

struction i f you follows those lines careful-like. You notes that she somewhat resembles the delicate outline of the Colonial crib in which all our forefathers was so successfully raised. You notes that she has a dash of the Spanish Caraval in her that enables Columbus to discover America and that makes the oil investigation and other political vaudeville possible. You notes that she has a V bottom and then none of these smart aleck naval architects can kick and which makes her very fast. You notes that she has a seat in the stern, it closely resembles a Morris Chair, which your wife maybe she doesn't allow you to have in the house because it don't correspond to her idea of Louis Quartourze decorating but which is very comfortable-like. You notes that I keeps her draft down so she floats in a light dew.

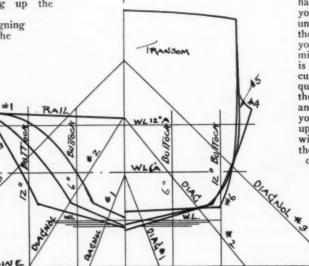
They is so many fellers who has written all about build a boat in how to MoToR BOATING that doesn't go into details. If you looks through the back numbers for the last ten years, nobody knows more about how to build a boat than you and anyway, any a boat anyway, ar has the does. feller temerity to build this boat, he soon finds out where he gets off even if I doesn't tell him in advance. In fact this is as good a place as any to tell you that MoToR BOATING, it awards

a handsome prize to anyone who builds this boat, goes to sea in it and lives to come back and claim it. Instead, I gives you a few impertinent suggestions pertaining to building this boat, from my long and bitter experience. What troubles the amature most is steaming of the planks. Guava she has a flare the like of which aint never been seen before on any boat. If you ever fits the plank to her,

you does more than I expects is reasonable but you has a very dry seaboat. If you lives in one of those unusual apartments where they supplies steam heat, you finds that on particular mild days, the pipes, they is full of it. After you has cut the planks to the re-quired shapes, you takes them into your bathroom and you lays them across your bathtub. You caulks up all the cracks in your window, if any, and you then takes a large hammer or maul and you smashes

off one of the valves on the radiator, and leaves the bathroom immediately if not sooner, and shuts the door behind you tightly. Eventually the steam pressure it fails, at which moment, be it day or night,

you again enters the bathroom, seizes a plank and rushes out before any of the falling plaster, it conks you on the skull. With the aid of some heavy C clamps, which by this time you finds you needs, you attempts to crowd the said plank up against the ribs of your hull. I warns you to observe great care not to stand in line with the said plank, for if one of your clamps, it slips, which it probably does, you gets a cracked patella at the best, and at the worst you gets violently ejected through the window and falls several (Continued on page 128)



The wonderful sections of Guava, note particularly she is designed to float on a heavy dew



The 35- foot Sea Sled cruiser powered with two sterling Dolphin engines which can drive her close to 47 m.p.h.

#### Newest SEA SLED CRUISER is Speedy

SPEED and endurance trials carried out at mystic during the early spring with a new 35-foot Sea Sled cruiser have demonstrated the absolute reli-

ability of this type of boat, and its remarkable speed and seaworthy qualities. This boat fitted with a comfortable stateroom, two berths, full head room, and toilet and galley is a new type developed by the Sea Sled Company, and the

improvements in the hull were apparent when the trials were made.

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Between the cabin and engine room is a bridge deck with all controls and a thwartship seat the full width of the boat. The engine compartment is further aft, and a second cockpit at the stern. The maat the chinery equip-ment is two Sterling Dolphin engines installed in the engine space.

The requirements of the owner were for a sustained high speed, and a rea-

sonably high working speed in rough water. The guaranteed speeds being placed at 30 m. p. h. with a full fuel load and 36 m. p. h. with the boat running light. Very exhaustive tests were made after the completion of the boat in order to determine exactly what its capabilities were. It was found that the boat was much softer in action in a seaway at any speed, than any previous craft of the same type which this company had built.

The maximum speed attained was made in slack water against the wind at 1,930 revolutions and resulted in an average speed of 46.57 miles. This was made with a weight of 14,500 pounds.

Remarkable Tests Carried Out in Open Water Demonstrate Speed and Seaworthiness of Improved Type Craft

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gallons of fuel, instead of making 36 miles, this seventon craft made nearly 47 m.p.h. with the engines turning at 1,930 revolutions. Later progressive speed trials, with a heavy fuel load were made, beginning at 1,150 revolutions which produced a speed of 22 miles, and carried

through with uniform increases of revolutions until 42.5 miles were attained at 1,800 revolutions.

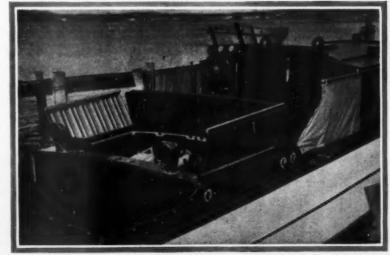
Its weight during the tests

with a full fuel load and four

or five passengers was over

16,000 lbs. Running with 100

During these tests between 200 and 300 gallons of fuel were carried with three men in the crew. At about half throttle or 1,600 revolutions average, a speed of 36.99 miles was secured. Following this sixteen men were taken aboard or an additional weight of 2,600 pounds. The boat was then run over the same course at the same revolution rate (1,600)



The compact engine compartment and cockpit spaces on the 35-foot Sea Sled cruiser

and the speed was found to be 36.3 miles. The addition of 2,600 pounds to the useful load had decreased the speed only 0.60 miles. The load carrying efficiency of this boat can thus be seen to be extremely high, with very slight falling off in speed, due to the increased load carried.

Between the first and last of the speed tests, seaworthiness trials were carried out in the vicinity of Race Rock in a very stiff 36-mile gale. During this the boat proved very steady and dry, and was able to maintain speeds between 30 and 37 m.p.h. under the very bad sea conditions which existed at the time of the trials. The boat's performance added a distinct step forward in Sea Sled design.



The construction of these boats is substantial throughout, the planking being white cedar copper fastened on oak frames, Mahogany trim has been used throughout. The usual equipment for a small cruiser is carried and the comfort of a cruiser obtained with the speed and other qualities of a fast runabout. Duplicates of this boat fitted with other engines are under construction

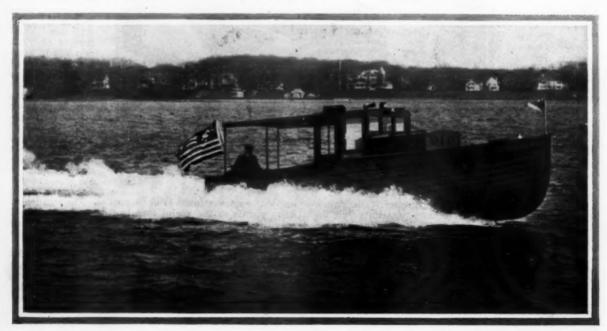


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As originators of the lap strake type of small boat construction. the Red Bank Yacht Works are quite proud of the newest of their line which has just been completed. This 30-foot cruiser built for Roland Douglas of Greenwich and New York, has been fitted with a 200 h. p. six cylinder Hall-Scott marine engine, and has made a speed of 28 miles without being forced.

## Fast Dory Type Cruiser

Popular and Seaworthy Craft of a New Design Brought Out by The Red Bank Yacht Works





The Finnish yacht Standard is a 72-foot by 13-foot steel hull built at the Warkaus shipyard for Walter Ahlström

Her power plant is a six cylinder Standard engine of 150 h.p. turning about 400 400 revolutions and driving the boat at close to 12 knots

## The FLAG SHIP of Finland's Yachts

New Craft Built Abroad Shows the Trend of American Design

HE shipbuilding industry of Finland has glorious traditions to look back to for as early as the seventeenth century its sailing vessels crossed the Seven These traditions are still being followed in the construction of modern vessels, and the new cruiser Standard recently completed for Walter Ahlström at the Warkaus Shipyard, is an excellent example of their craftsmanship. The design was prepared by John Carlström, working under the supervision of the owner who is the managing director of the shipyard.

This new boat is 72-feet in length with a beam of 13-feet.

The hull is entirely of steel and fitted with four water tight compartments. The exterior trim is of mahogany with decks of Oregon pine. The boat has been very elaborately fitted and furnished to a degree which is unusual in this

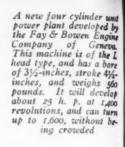
country. The deck house forward is used for navigating purposes and from this one can descend into the forward saloon, which contains sleeping quarters for five persons. An abundance of locker and wardrobe space is provided.

Electricity is used throughout for lighting purposes, and this is supplied by a Delco generator and batteries. An automatic telephone system is installed by means of which all parts of the boat are always in communication. A hot water heating system is also carried. The motive power is a six cylinder Standard engine made by the Standard Motor Construction Company which develops 150 h.p. at 400 revolutions. The speed is re-

ported as 11.8 knots.



Interior of the saloon showing the elab-orate furnishings and also the piano. This room serves both as a dining and music room



# A Well Built Marine Engine

Unit Power Plant of Moderate Size Particularly Suitable for Runabouts Where Weight and Power are Important

The cylinder castings are enbloc of cast iron, and with absolutely uniform thicknesses of cylinder walls and water jackets. All valves are fully enclosed which eliminates noise and keeps the engine clean

Moving parts are of extra large size, and accurately ground. The crankcase is of the split type, with ample handhole plates which permit easy access to the entire interior of the machine when needed

#### COAST GUARD Fleet Progressing Fast

Rapid Progress Being Made By Many Builders On Construction of Boats and Engines for New Flect to Curb Unlawful Importations

By A. W. PAYNE

HEN your Uncle Samuel's Coast Guard - friend of all ye yachtsmen—starts out to do a thing, it jolly well, as our British cousins put it, does it. And so, its fleet of motor boat foes-of-the-rum-runner is by now almost already afloat. In fact the Coast Guard has kept things humming so it is a couple of jumps ahead of MoToR BOATING's attempt to record its progress. And as you read this, the C.G. will be several more jumps in the lead.

At the date of writing, a skipper-in-chief has been named to command the several hundred vessels that will attempt to stem the tide of smuggled rum, drugs and aliens; a couple dozen boats are being set up; engines for them are being built; outfitters are getting together equipment; the Phila delphia Navy Yard has laid plans for reconditioning several destroyers to be taken over for fast patrol work; final touches are being made on the last boat plans; and appli-

cations are being received at headquarters by the hundreds for places in the temporary force to man the fleet.

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It dare be added, too, that undoubtedly wise rum runners are preparing to hurry up what must be about their last illicit shipments to Halifax, Nassau, etc.

Commander Harry G. Hamlet, C. O. of the U.S.S. Marietta in European waters during the war, skipper of the cutter Mojave at Honolulu, and veteran of the Coast Guard, will be fleet commander. That Admiral commander. That Admirai the service, picked such an experienced and determined officer to head the new fleet and direct anti-rum running operations, is sufficient earnest of the grim intent of the coastal police to sweep the waters of these dispensof poison, dope and ers Chinks.

The destroyers Ammen, Beale, Cassin, Downes, Jouett, Patterson and Paulding, of the Navy, have already been turned over for use of the Coast Guard, and reconditioning will start at once. A dozen more will be put in shape at League Island during the coming year, it having been estimated about that length of time will be necessary for the whole job. The following firms had

been awarded contracts for building boats of the 36-foot

speed type, open harbor craft to be known as open picket

Burger Boat Co., Manitowoc, Wis., 5 boats; Chance Marine Construction Co., Baltimore, 5 boats; Frederick S. Nock, East Greenwich, R. I., 5 boats; Greenport Basin and Construction Co., Greenport, N. Y., 5 boats; Gibbs Gas Engine Co., Jacksonville, Fla., 5 boats; U. S. Navy Yard, Portsmouth, N. H., 2 boats, and U. S. Navy Yard, Puget Sound, 3 boats.

These craft will be built by the firms on their own lines These craft will be built by the firms on their sunder general specifications drawn up by the Coast Guard. Some will be round bilge, some V section, as previously

described in MoToR BOATING. No doubt many other proposals will have been made and accepted and contracts awarded by the time this issue goes to press. Thirty of this type will thus be built, while seventy others, of approxi-mately the same lines and dimensions, but with a small after cabin, with over-night accommodations for the crew, will be built. This class will be known as the cabin picket boats. They are for harbor, inlet and river patrolling in protected waters, while the larger type, to be known as patrol boats, will make extended patrol work outside, regardless of weather or time. The destroyers will act in deep water as mother ships and for speedy moving to unprotected points.

Among the bidders for these jobs were listed practically every boat building concern of note.

During the middle of May proposals for the larger motor

craft were opened, and one hundred seventy-five will be constructed under detailed specifications plans and drawn up on the board of the Coast Guard engineers. The best possible features to attain in motor craft are ex-pected under the unusual requirements for this type, advice on which was given the Coast Guard officers by some of the best motor boat builders in the country at a recent conference. These boats will be 75 feet over all, twin engined, and with ac-commodations and sea going capacity for extended cruises.

As for engines, contracts were awarded the Sterling Company and the Engine Consolidated Corporation, who are required to start deliveries two months from the date of The former will awards. supply 350 six cylinder motors of its well-known Viking Two of these horsepower engines will be installed in the larger craft. They are 61/4-inch bore and 73/4-inch stroke, each to be installed as a separate unit with control panels, pumps, lubrication, electric starting, reverse gears, etc.

Consolidated will supply 150 MR-6 Speedways, six cylinder, 53/4 by 7 inches bore and stroke, delivering from 150 to 180 brake horsepower.

Each engine to be a complete unit as with the Sterlings. The government is to furnish much equipment, such as storage batteries, but other contracts are to be, and very likely already have been, awarded for other equipment. All equipment is to be standardized throughout the fleet, and the engines are to be built by only the two concerns, so that should a breakdown in some small part threaten to put a boat out of commission, new parts can be installed with the minimum loss of time. A number of spare engines, and sufficient spare parts to total a number of additional motors will be a sufficient of the control o tional motors will be at shore stations and on mother ships to bear out this program. The contracts also bound the engine companies to furnish (Continued on page 72)

#### DATES OF IMPORTANT CHAMPIONSHIP RACES

July 3-6—Annual Regatta, Mississippi Valley Power Boat Association, Oshkosh, Wis. A. T. Griffith, Secretary, Peoria, Illinois.
 July 3—Middletown, Conn. to Sachems Head, Conn. Classes for cruisers and express cruisers. Minn S. Cornell, Jr., Middletown, Conn.
 July 3—New Orleans to Pensacola 200 mile cruiser race. Thomas Burns, Southern Y. C., New Orleans, La.

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July 4 - Sachems Head, Conn. around Falkners Island and return.

July 5 - Sachems Head, Conn. to Lloyd's Harbor,

and return.
July 5—Sachems Head, Conn. to Lloyd's Harbor,
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cruisers. M. S. Cornell, Jr., Middletown, Conn.
July 12—New Rochelle to Block Island, New York
Athletic Club, open to cruisers. E. H. Tucker,
Chairman, 110 William St., New York City.
July 31—Long Distance Ocean Championship for
James Craig Trophy, Columbia Yacht Club, New
York City to Shelter Island, Long Island. C. F.
Chapman, Chairman, 119 W. 40 Street, New York.
July 31—Mamaroneck, N. Y. to Shelter Island, L. I.
Cruiser race for MoToR BoatinG Trophy. Open
to cruisers 25 feet to 70 feet, L. W. L. W. Roy
Halsey, Chairman, Mamaroneck, N. Y.
August 2—Handicap Cruiser Championship of
America, Shelter Island, N. Y. Open to cruisers
30 to 45 feet L. W. L. W. Bradford, Chairman,
154 Montague St., Brooklyn, N. Y.
August 8-15-22—National Trophy Race, Lake George,
New York. Lake George Regatta Ass'n., R. E.
Henry, Chairman, Hague, N. Y.
August 14-16—Annual Regatta of Buffalo Launch
Club, Buffalo, N. Y. Arthur J. Utz, Chairman,
387 Niagara Street, Buffalo, N. Y.
August 29-Sept. 1—Annual Gold Cup Regatta, Detroit Yacht Club, Detroit, Michigan. W. D. Edenburn, Chairman, Hotel Addison, Detroit, Mich.
March 20-21, 1925—Annual Southern Regatta, Miami,
Beach, Fla. Championship Races for Hydroplanes and High Speed Runabouts. Carl G.
Fisher, Chairman, Miami Beach, Florida.

#### PERIWINKL, A Wholesome Cruiser

A Neat Little Boat of the V-Bottom Type Which is Arranged Particularly for Easy Construction by The Amateur Builder

Designed Especially for Motor Boating By WILLIAM ATKIN

TWO DESIGNS A MONTH

As announced in May MoToR BoatinG, William

As announced in May MoToR BoatinG, William Atkin is going to design two brand new boats each month for you. The first of these are for a clever little cruiser intended for moderate power and a little 8-foot dinghy. These designs will be, one a cruiser, runabout, auxiliary, or other serviceable craft, while the other will be a small boat of the dinghy class and designed for sail or outboard engine propulsion. Mr. Atkin has long specialized in the preparation of designs for boats and yachts of all sizes and there is perhaps no other designer who has had his broad experience and practical training. By choice he prefers to

practical training. By choice he prefers to work out small boat designs and those which he will prepare for you during the year will be among his best.—Editor.

TE ALL have quite different ideas as to how a cruising boat should be built and I have learned long ago that what is a perfect design for one man is very much another thing for his neighbor. One wants speed, another cares nothing for it; one wants headroom, another looks upon it as useless; one likes to be out in the weather, another encloses the cockpit within a wind-

tight cage; one seeks much freeboard, another likes a rakish looking craft with but little freeboard; one demands a lot of room, another sees little value in this feature; and

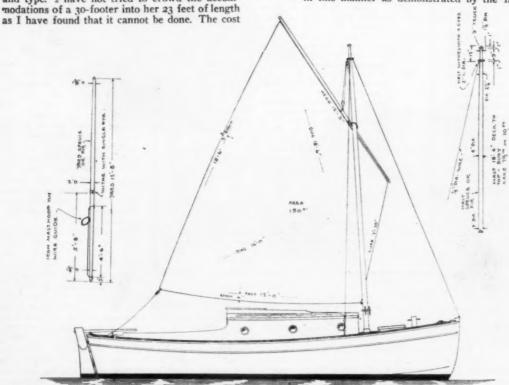
so it goes.
As I see it a small cruising boat has to be many things in one. There is no way in which to perfectly combine the elements everyone desires into a single boat. It is therefore necessary to compromise, which means the sacrifice of some elements for the betterment of others. Herein lies the charm of designing small craft of any kind.

In laying out the design for Periwinkl I pictured the kind of small motor cruiser which I should build for my own use and have tried to incorporate in the craft the features which I have found to be essential and practical in a boat of this size and type. I have not tried to crowd the accomof construction and fitting out has been well considered and all unnecessary equipment eliminated, and this for the reason that simplicity in anything is the keynote of its value.

In over all length she measures 23 feet 6 inches; on the water line her length is 22 feet; her beam on deck is 8 feet; on the waterline 6 feet 11 inches; and the draft is I foot II inches. The freeboard is ample to form a rea-

sonably dry craft under the varied conditions of weather encountered during the months of the year through which most of us are wont to go boating. I know she will be an excellent little vessel in rough water as one of my clients has had a boat similar to her built and his boat is as able as any small boat can be. Periwinkl will be bouyant and fast, considering her moderate power, she should do at least 9 miles an hour with a motor like the Baby Doll Red Wing, the Gobest, Universal, or Niagara installed. With a single cylinder 5 to 6 h.p. two cycle the speed should be between 6½ and 7 miles an hour.

The center of gravity of the weights is somewhat abaft amidships for the purpose of keeping the bow light. All small craft travel drier and more comfortably if trimmed in this manner as demonstrated by the famous Seabright

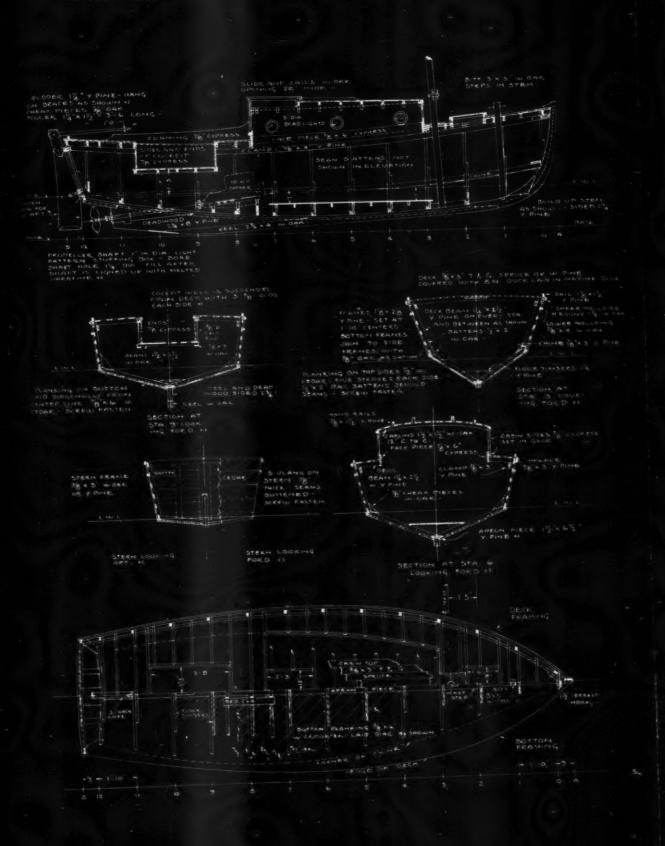


Outboard file, and tails sail spar de-for the 231/2-foot cruiser Periwinkl designed by Wil-liam Atkin

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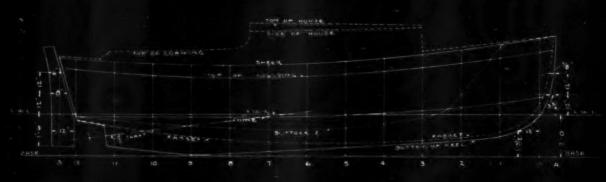


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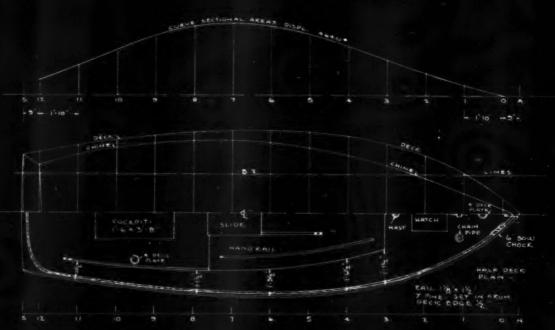
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### PERIWINKL

23'-6' X 22' X 8'-0" X 1'-11" V. BOTTOM CRUISER

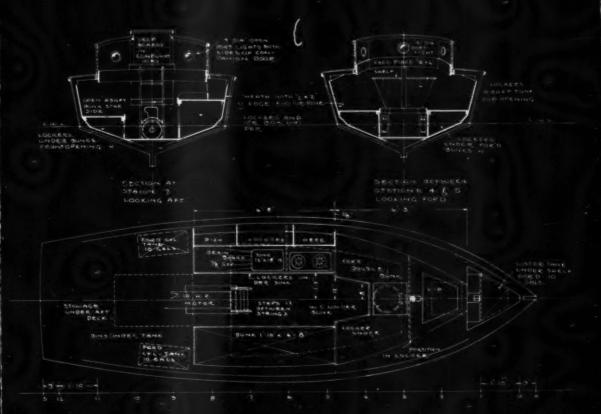
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by WILLIAM ATKIN

New York





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fishing skiffs, and also the Hampton boats used by the lobstermen Down East. In a bad sea the weak point of most boats is the large cockpit. If full speed is maintained a lot of water comes aboard, but so long as it cannot tarry here or there or some other place in the boat all is well. This is one of the reasons for the cockpit well arranged after the practice of a sailing boat. I feel this cockpit a most desirable feature. There is little use in making it larger because after all Periwinkl is designed for the accommodation of three as crew. There is plenty of comfortable seating room for four or five persons and this is enough of a live load for a boat of this size. If there is one thing I dislike to see it is any kind of boat, big or little, crowded to the gunwales with a care-free mob, skylarking and cutting up like the mischief, all unconscious of the wetness of the water below them, and the waiting arms of Davy Jones.

Please don't change the size or arrangement of the cock-pit; it is just right as it is! Periwinkl is too small for a host of passengers, if you must carry more than five all told please consider a larger boat. Since I have brought up the subject of the carrying capacity of small cruising boats perhaps I should again go on record against the prevalent idea that the first consideration in a boat should be accommodation and room. As I see it, after 20 years' experience with small boats, the first consideration must be seaworthiness; next to this must be sound construction; then reasonable speed coupled with motive reliability; followed by appearance; and with accommodation, the last consideration. As I have said before it is a great mistake to build a cruising boat for the sake of headroom alone. is no way to sleep eight persons in space that will comforta-bly accommodate only four. It is a mistake to design a boat for the sake of foot room; or for the sake of trying to crowd the accommodations of a 40-footer into the modest dimensions of a 20-footer. By this I do not mean we should build boats that are cramped and uncomfortable; rather I mean we should avoid the tendency that is making miniature modern hotels of our cruising craft. After all, boats are boats, and the less trick stuff we pile into them the better off the sport will be, and the more happy and free will be the all too short week-end cruises; the kind most of us enjoy.

Deck room on a cruising boat is quite as important as room inside, but neither one or the other of these features should be over or under done. In Periwinkl the idea is to balance these so as to have the advantage of both. trunk cabin permits ample room for working anchors, landing at a float or dock, and permits easy boarding from a dinghy along side. These are items which must be considered. Also the open port lights in the for'd and aft' ends of the house make possible perfect ventilation, while those piercing the sides give light.

There isn't any doubt but that an old fashioned tiller is about as simple and serviceable an arrangement as any for steering and especially so in this little cruiser. The arrangement of the cockpit is ideal for a tiller as one can recline on the side deck inside the coaming (cushions under, of course) and steer with a foot, an arm, or by pressing the body against the tiller, all of which puts a lot of novelty into steering. While I have not shown them on the plans, tiller lines might be rove all around the outside of the coaming and the house; thus rigged the little packet can be handled from the forward deck or any other loca-tion. The tiller lines should have considerable slack so as to be easily grasped. Folks who think a fancy steering wheel necessary will be surprised how handy a tiller is and with what facility the boat can be handled.

The design of our little V-bottom cruiser is simplicity

The straight sections which I have always used in my small boats are not only easier to plank but are stronger, lighter, and require less material than the sections usually employed in V-bottom construction. Another thing, straight sections seem more in harmony with boats of the V-bottom I can easily forgive the appearance of the straight sections for the sake of the labor saved in building them. The keel is straight along its bottom to a point about 4 feet forward of the propeller post; here it sweeps up to within 5 inches of the center of the propeller shaft. Several things are accomplished by this. There is enough drag and length to the keel to assure easy steering in troubled water and the cut up facilitates both turning and handling. It will be seen that the shoe under the propeller is dispensed with and yet the propeller is protected in case of grounding. A better stream of water reaches the propeller and places the maximum draft three-fourths the length of the water line abaft the stem, which is advantageous. Another thing worth considering in this form of keel and deadwood is that the lumber used can be somewhat shorter, which is both stronger and cheaper.

The construction is not unusual and is about as simple as it is possible to employ. The keel and deadwood should be made of yellow pine sided 23/4 inches and dimensioned otherwise as shown on the plans. I think you will find it easy to read the dimensions and directions lettered on the plans. For this reason detailed printed specifications are hardly necessary. The siding, which means thickness, is given as 2¾ inches because 3-inch stock lumber as found in local yards will finish this thickness after it is dressed. White oak can be used for the back bone as well as yellow pine but there is little advantage to be gained by using it. Spruce also can be used for the same purpose as it is a first class boat building wood. However, it must be protected on the bottom with a (Continued on page 122)

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## HANDY-ANDY

#### An Eight Foot Sailing Dinghy

Designed for MoToR BoatinG by William Atkin

HERE are no two men who like exactly the same kind of boat and when it comes to the dink,— well there are a lot of different kinds. This is perhaps because the man who owns a big motor cruiser has quite different service in view than the man who owns a tiny auxiliary. And the man who owns a house boat sees the thing in a different light than the fellow who has a straight sailing craft. And so while one kind of dink may be excellent for one ship it is all wrong for another. the dinghy problem is admittedly difficult of solution, and the only thing to do is to design a lot of different types so that one or another of them will be just what you are

looking for.

Handy-Andy herewith is only 8 feet in length, but with her generous freeboard and 4 feet of beam is a big little boat. By actual test she can carry four full grown men; and three of the same is a comfortable load for her. Under the urge of a pair of 51/2 foot spruce oars she travels easily, she is good under sail, and quite all right with construction is light, which is a big advantage in any dink which is to be used with a small cruiser. She will weigh less than 90 pounds with oars and fittings, but without the rig.

The canvas covered construction shown in the plans has proved successful in hundreds of thousands of canoes, and besides being absolutely watertight is stronger than a lightly built boat planked with wood and not so covered. The building of a boat of this description is not difficult as the thin planks are easily applied and it makes little difference whether the seams or butts are perfectly fitted, because the canvas covering seals the bottom absolutely

watertight anyway.

There is a feeling among boating folks to get back to sails, and there is no better way to master the art of sailing than in a little boat. There is a lot of fun be had in puttering about the fleet in a sailing dink; a lot to be learned as well and many are the hours when there is a gentle breeze and plenty of time to sail.

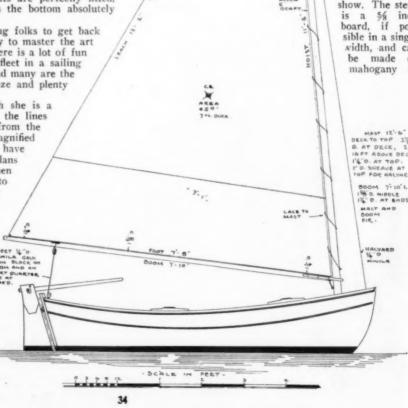
In building Andy, even although she is a little bit of a boat, I should lay the lines down full size for in enlarging from the scale drawings small errors are magnified and can then be corrected. I have found it a good plan to lay the plans down on red building paper for then it is very easy to transfer them to the wood, it being a simple thing to slip the wood for the forms under the paper and prick the required lines through the

paper and into the wood.
The forms should b made of rough boards, spruce or Washington pine will be about as cheap as anything for this pose. Seven-eighths is enough and if the width little will cut to waste. The side members of the forms should be cut with 4 inches in length to spare so as to extend above the sheer. This will come in handy

later. There are six forms, those near the bow and stern are spaced at 9½ inches centers; and the two middle forms at 1 foot, 7¾ inches. The edges should be beveled and the center of the forms set on the station lines. It is important to have the forms perfectly square with the center line, and plumb as well. The heat should be built better side. The boat should be built bottom side and plumb as well. up as this will make it easy to set up the forms without building stocks for the craft. Remember in finishing the forms that the thickness of the planking must be taken off,

in this boat this is 3/16 inches. The water lines and the position of the sheer must be plainly marked on each form: without these mark-ings it will be impossible to set up the forms in their correct positions.

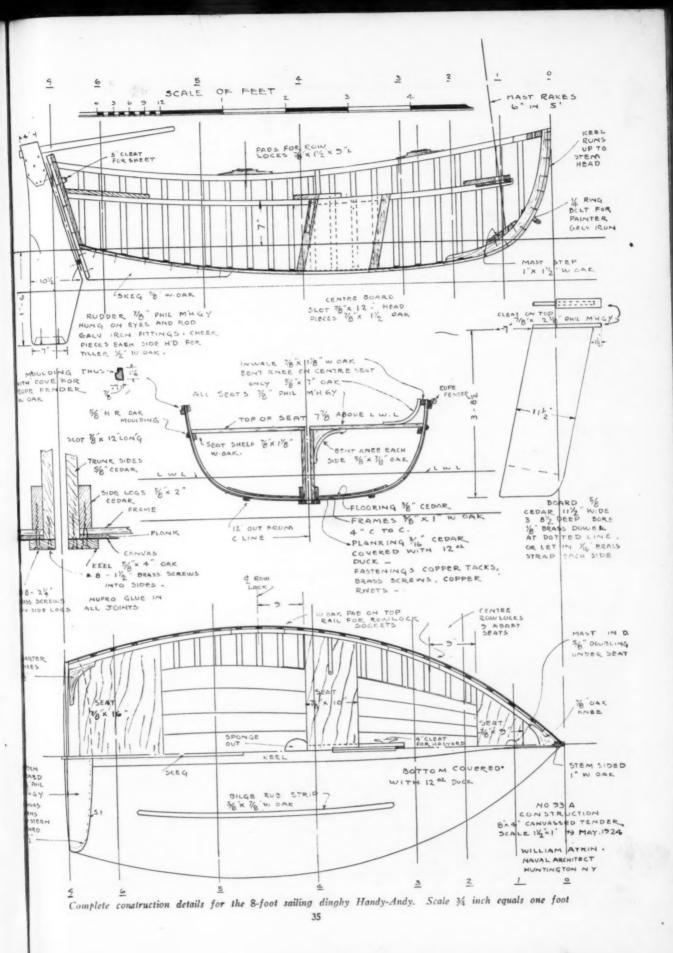
The stem is sided I inch, and should be made of white oak. It is not rab-beted after the beted after the usual fashion and really should be called a stemson as the planks are fastened to each side allowing the end wood to show. The stern is a 5% inch if board, possible in a single width, and can made of mahogany

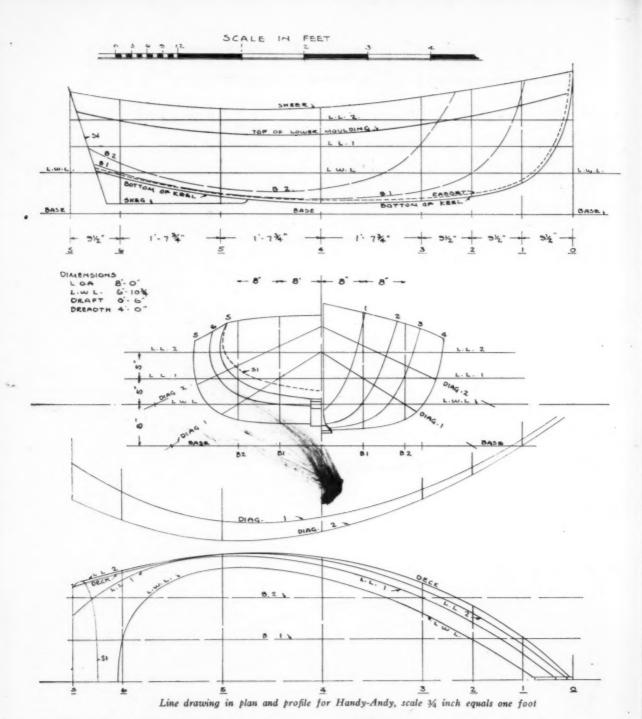


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sail plan fo. Handy-Andy. Scale 1/2 inch

equals one foot





a lighter wood; spruce or white cedar are excellent for the purpose. A 3 inch width of 3/16 inch planking forms the keelson and is later covered with a false keel.

After the forms, stem and stern are set up and well braced to the floor the planking can be laid. This is to be 3/16 inch white cedar. The planks should be applied on the top sides first and can all be of similar width. There on the top sides first and can all be of similar width. There is little use in shaping each plank because the planking is afterwards covered with canvas just as it is on a canoe. If you examine any well made canvas covered canoe you will see that the planks on the bottom run out in jib ends against the edge of the side planks and stealers are fitted to complete the surface. The latter are short lengths of plank. Round head iron screws are used to hold the planking to the forms. It should be well fastened and

neatly jointed, but not finished until the frames are bent in and fastened.

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With the planking on, the boat can be turned right side up. The ribs are to be bent in next. The ribs should be 36 by 1 inch white oak and set on 4 inch centers. These must be steam bent and this can be accomplished by using a length of iron pipe for a steam box. The lower end of the pipe is capped and set in a wood fire. Water of course is in the pipe and one or two ribs. An outfit of this kind will give fine steam and except for its limited capacity is an excellent arrangement. The ribs should be in a single length from gunwale to gunwale. In the ends of the boat it will be found that the ribs will fit closer to the inside of the planking if they are canted somewhat (set more or less at right angles to the sweep of the sides).

The planking and frames are fastened together with 1/8 inch copper tacks. These are simply driven in and clinched on the frames. There should be three fastenings to each plank.

The hull is now ready to smooth off. This will have to be done with a rasp and coarse file. The forms must be removed first, however, and the inwales fitted with the two knees aft, and the breast hook, otherwise the craft will not retain its shape. It is not necessary to sandpaper the surface, in fact the canvas will stick better if the surface is fuzzy. The canvas covering should be of 10 or 12 ounce weight and in a single piece. Before applying this the hull should be painted with a generous coat of liquid marine glue. This does not harden quickly; in fact remains soft for a day or so. The canvas will require some stretching and pulling before all the pleats brush out smooth, and so do not despair of finishing it in this way. The glue will help immensely in applying the canvas and is a far better thing to use than any kind of paint. The edge of the canvas around the deck and at the stern must be fastened with 3% inch copper tacks.

The false keel can now be fitted. This extends in a single length from the stern to the head of the stem. It

shaped as shown, 5% inches thick and 4 inches wide. The forward end will need steaming so as to bend easily around the bow. This can be managed with the makeshift steaming apparatus nentioned before. I should lay the keel in a thick coat of marine glue and fasten from the inside with round head screws; two in each frame. The fitting of the 1/8 inch oak skeg will finish this stage of the

work. A detail drawing on the construction plan shows the way to fit the centerboard. This will be easy enough after the experience gained by building the boat thus far. The trunk is simply a narrow box with two head pieces of 38 by 11/2 inch oak and 5/8 inch cedar sides. The slot

through the bottom should be made before the trunk is screwed fast, and the slot, by the way, must be 3/8 inches The center board is of the dagger type 3% inches thick and 11½ inches wide with a total length of 3 feet 8½ inches. Note the cleat across the top to prevent it from dropping through the slot.

The rudder is part of the lateral plane and should be eep and narrow as shown on the plans. The best way deep and narrow as shown on the plans. to hang this, is on eyes, two on the stern and two on the rudder with a rod dropped through to keep them together. The blade should be faired off fore and aft below the bottom of the stern.

With the fitting of the seats, tiller, flooring boards, and hardware the hull will be complete with the exception of the painting. The canvas should have at least three coats of paint and one coat of varnish; but in applying these allow plenty of time for each coat to thoroughly dry.

The rig is not a difficult thing to make with spars of spruce or fir as shown. The sail must be made by a professional otherwise it will not be satisfactory.

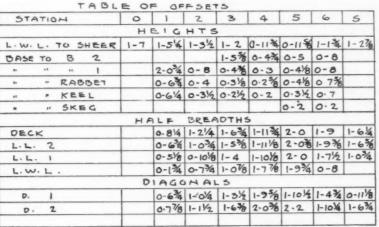
It may not be amiss to mention that some time ago I had some dinks like this one built. The cost of all the materials for one boat with the exception of the sail

amounted to \$42 .-40, and the sail can be made for \$16.00. The cost of having Andy built including labor should not be over \$165.00. This would be for the boat as shown and would include sail and 3

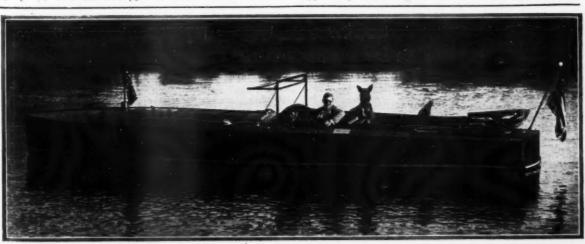
which the illustrations herewith were made are drawn to a scale of 11/2 inch to the foot and easily Believing read. that many who will build Handy-Andy may wish to secure blue

spars, hardware, oars, and painter. The plans from

prints of the originals, arrangements have been made with F. W. Horenburger, 4263, Byron Avenue, Bronx, N. Y., to supply these at a nominal price. Any help or advice which may be needed in the construction of this boat will be gladly supplied by addressing the Editor of MoToR BOATING.



DIMENSIONS TO OUTSIDE OF PLANK. Table of offsets for the 8-foot dinghy Handy-Andy



The interest in fast boats is keeping up. Even the dog in this one expresses a keen delight in moving swiftly through the water

#### SMALL MOTOR BOATS

Their Care, Construction and Equipment

A Monthly Prize Contest Conducted by Motor Boatmen

Ouestions Submitted for the August Prize Contest

Describe and illustrate hanging pipe berths, for the cruiser and the method of securing mattresses to frames.
 (Submitted by E. T. K. Wilmington, Del.)

 Describe and illustrate the installation of an electric blower-fan for ventilating or cooling galley, engine-room, or other parts of a cruiser.

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#### Successful Methods of Fuel Conservation

Ingenious Devices Suggested by Clever Readers to Help Reduce the Fuel Bill and Gain Increased Efficiency from the Boat's Power Plant

Answers to the Following Question Published in the April Issue:

"What method or device have you adopted to lessen the consump-tion of fuel or to utilize lower grades for your motor boat?"

#### To Improve Motor Efficiency

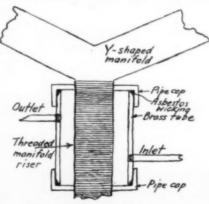
(The Prize-Winning Answer)

E are assuming that the entire motor assembly is in good condition, alignment correct, and with oil, gasoline, cooling water and ignition systems functioning properly; yet the gasoline consumption is high for the power available.

That is the average case, due to one or several of the following faults; namely, improper motor design, poor car-buretion and lack of heat applied to the mixture leaving the carbureter, improper cooling, and poor ignition. We will discuss the why of these faults and how they may be remedied, and you can thereby check this against your power plant and eliminate those which you find.

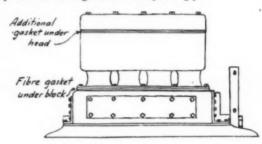
Taking the motor design first, compression is one of the chief offenders in many of the older style motors. those days we were getting high test gasoline, and in order

get maximum power for the piston displacement rt was necessarv have high, rather even in the lower speed classes. owners of these engines today find it necessary to use over-rich mixtures or run under reduced throttle in order



A hot-spot manifold heater suggested by V. L. S. which uses hot exhaust gas

to keep these motors from pre-ignition knocking. Where the over-rich mixtures are used, carbon soon forms and the knocking is more pronounced. To get away from this fault it is necessary to either heat the incoming charge to a point where it is practically a dry gas, or to reduce the compression to a point where the engine will not knock under full throttle. The sketch shown will illustrate how it is possible to fit a heavy gasket under either the cylinder block or head so as to increase the combustion chamber size to a point where it will approximate about 30% of the piston displacement. Of course, each motor will be a law to itself, and it may be found necessary to fit several gaskets until the one of the correct thickness is found, and some of the fittings such as piping and valve tappets may have to be lengthened correspondingly.



V. L. S. shows how to reduce the high compression of old engines which are inclined to heat

The intake manifold should be Y shaped, first to eliminate sharp angles, also to allow condensed gasoline to drain back to the carbureter. On the column next to the carbureter, install a hot spot as shown in sketch to aid in heating the incoming mixture; and, install a gasket made up of asbestos and copper wire screen in between intake manifold and cylinder. This will allow only a combustible mixture to enter the cylinders.

In some cases the valve pockets are very rough inside, and have a tendency not only to retard the mixture, but will collect and condense considerable gasoline from the mixture. By the use of a small cold or cape chisel, it is possible to smooth up this roughness, then it can be finished with a small round file. The valve sizes should be checked up with some similar motor of the same horsepower, but of recent design, and where the valves are found to be small, have the seats reamed to the size desired and oversize valves made. The increased efficiency from this factor

#### Rules for the Prize Contest

A NSWERS to the above questions for the August issue, addressed to the editor of MoToR Boating, 119 West 10th St., New York, must be (a) in our hands on or before June 25, (b) about 500 words long, (c) written on one side of the paper only, (d) accompanied by the sender's names and addresses.

The names will be withheld and initials used.

QUESTIONS for the next contest must reach us on or before June 15th. The editor reserves the right to make such changes and suggestions in the accepted answers as he may deem necessary.

The prizes are: For each of the best answers to the questions above, any article or articles sold by any advertiser advertising in the current issue of MoToR Boating of which the advertised price does not exceed 125, or a credit of 155 on any article which

sells for more than that amount. There are two prizes—one for each question—but a contestant need send in an answer to only one if he does not care to answer both.

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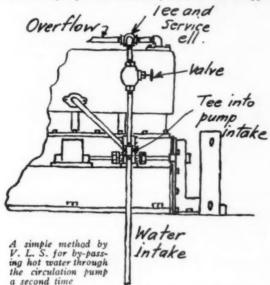
For answers we print that do not win a prize we pay space rates.

For each of the questions selected for use in the following month's contest, any article or articles sold by an advertiser advertising in this issue of MoToR BoatinG of which the advertised price does not exceed 45, or a credit of \$5 on any article which sells for more than that amount.

All details connected with the ordering of the prizes selected by the winners must be handled by us. The winners should be particular to specify from which advertisers they desire to have their prizes ordered.

in the majority of cases will be found very noticeable.

Present day carbureters are designed to handle the heavy fuels of today, while those of older manufacture were designed to handle the more volatile fuels, and consequently are not efficient. This replacement will pay for itself in a very short while, not only from fuel saving, but from wear and tear on the motor itself through oil dilution. This is especially applicable to motors where the lubricating oil is used over and over, until its lubricating qualities are gone. In any style of carbureter, heat should be applied



to the incoming air, taking it from a hot stove on the exhaust pipe, as illustrated, or by taking it from the base. Proper carbureter setting should be done frequently if fuel economy is important, as the demands of the motor will change with every change in the weather. On warm days when the atmosphere is damp, it will be found possible to run with a very lean mixture, while on cool days when the atmosphere is dry, a much richer mixture will be necessary. Also when the motor is started and still cold, a rich mixture will be required; but, within a few minutes the motor will become gradually heated until its operating temperature will be reached, then by changing back to a lean mixture, further fuel economy will be effected.

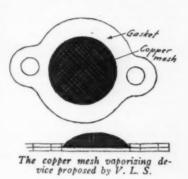
Much of the automobile motor efficiency is due to the high operating temperature, and the same is applicable to marine engines. This fault existing in fully 90% of the

engines. is due to the manufacusing an spaces oversize water sufficiently pump. large to take care of cooling under abnormal conditions. As the average motor is operating under normal conditions, it will be found to be running far too cool; as, the water leaving the jackets should average between 160 and 180 degrees. If the water jackets are properly proportioned and clear of obstructions, no harm will result from operating at these temperatures, and leaner carbureter mixtures can be For proper

water circulation, the water inlet should be at some low part of the jacket (preferably near the exhaust), and the overflow should come out of the highest portion of the cylinder head jacket. The sketch for piping a hot water return system through the pump, shows a system using only one valve, and will be found to be easily adjustable to the motor's needs, as well as requiring a minimum of

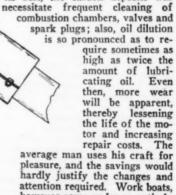
Where lean mixtures are to be used, ignition is a major factor; and many of our foremost manufacturers are using double and triple ignition systems, as it has been found possible to use even a leaner mixture through their aid. This is particularly true in the cases of high speed motors, or where reduced throttle conditions are to be expected. A hot spark at two or more places in the combustion cham-

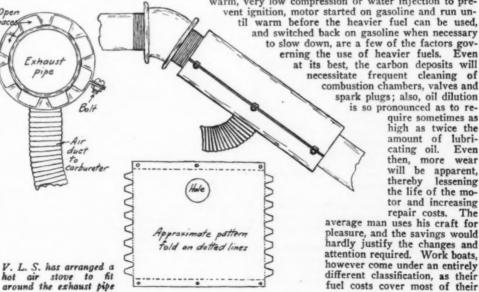
ber gives a more instantaneous explosion, allows the use of more air to the mixture, and burns charge the more completely; all which allows the motor to deliver its maximum power at the best crank angle (as spark advance is somewhat sened), and reduces carbon deposits very materially. This is especially true in either the T or L head motors, on account of the excessive combustion



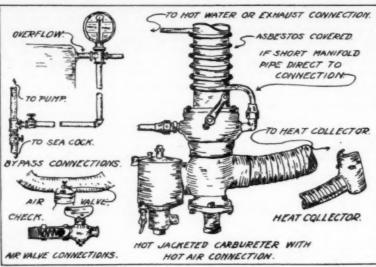
chamber width. Spark plug location should be carefully considered in order to get the best results from the dual ignition systems in the various types of motors. The use of a good high tension distributor system, wired through a storage battery, and a good high tension magneto equipped with an impulse coupling, makes a very satisfactory job. Both systems should be set so the sparks will occur at the same instant, and both should be connected with the advance lever in such a manner that the degree of advance will be the same.

The use of heavier fuels than gasoline, in the average gasoline motor, calls for considerable attention from the operator while on a run, and requires changes or replace-ments in either the motor design or in the equipment. The fuel must be heated, the air heated, the entire intake manifold jacketed to keep the mixture warm until it reaches the cylinders, two carbureters or one with two bowls must be used, an extra tank for gasoline to run motor until warm, very low compression or water injection to prevent ignition, motor started on gasoline and run un-til warm before the heavier fuel can be used, and switched back on gasoline when necessary to slow down, are a few of the factors gov-





operating penses; in which case their best course would be to trade the old gasoline motor in for a motor designed primarily to operate on heavier fuels, rather than spending money and time fooling installawith an tion which is nothing more or less an untried than experiment. There stock accesare sories on the marwhich are ket guaranteed as to results; however, their successful operation depends almost entirely on the fundamental design of the moand before



W. B. M. believes in regulating water temperatures and auxiliary air intakes

making a change of this nature, it would be best to take the matter up with the motor manufacturers or some competent engineer. On the other hand, the man with the pleasure craft covers but small mileage, runs under reduced throttle for considerable periods, and spends much to devote his time to giving it the necessary attention for both operation and maintenance in order to use two different fuels. V. L. S. Wilmington, Del.

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Fuel Economy With Low Grade Fuel THE gasoline of today is carefully compounded by chemical engineers working in conjunction with the mechanical engineers, (Continued on page 68)

# How to Steam and Bend Hard

Difficult Operations of Steam Bending Which Can Be Successfully Carried Out By The Help Of Apparatus Suggested

Answers to the Following Question Published in the April Issue "Give information and explain how to steam and bend oak for frames and other bent parts of the boat."

### Simplified Steam Bending

(The Prize-Winning Answer)

OR the successful bending of oak, as well as cedar and cypress planking, three things are necessarysuitable material, adequate steaming facilities and proper bending moulds. The more extensive the bending, the greater degree of perfection will be required of the above named necessities.

For a steam box that will be used for extensive steaming, say in the building of a medium size boat, the outfit illustrated in Fig. 1 is highly efficient and at the same time easy to construct. All that

the builder will have to acquire will be the boards for the steam box, for the average boatman possesses yacht stove, an empty five gallon can and a length of hose.

The material for the box may be of the rough-est material. The hinged door at the end opposite the inlet hose is fitted loosely, so that it will not bind when it swells, as well as offering an outlet for any undue steam pressure that might arise.

The dimensions of the box will of course depend upon the width and the length of the lumber to be steamed, but inside dimensions of 10 feet long by 12 inches square will take care of anything that

the amateur is likely to build.

In Fig. 2 is shown an expedient that can be hastily assembled for a small job of rib bending. In consists of a pipe,

such as is used for a roller under the skids when taking out or putting craft into the water. The lower end is plugged securely, the plug in the upper end simply tight enough to hold back the vapors. The rest of the sketch is self explanatory.

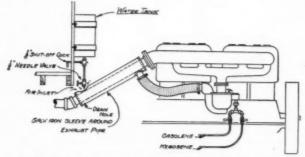
If access to a steam boiler can be had, the process shown in Fig. 3 is simple and efficient. A generous quantity of burlap is wound around the part of the planking that is to be bent and the nozzle of a steam hose tucked under the burlap. The writer has seen a small cruiser built with just this means of The steam boiler was situated over a hundred yards from the boathouse, but simply allowing the burlap to remain on the planking until it reached the boathouse solved

the problem of cooling off quickly. The garboards were also steamed easily by this process.

For those who make the outfit described in Fig. 1, such a job of bending would be accomplished by placing the end to be bent into the steam box and plugging the door end with burlap. Ribs were readily bent by process Fig. 3 by winding burlap all around two ribs which

came out very limber, due to the quality and the pressure of the steam. While the curved coaming of a quarter of a century ago has passed more or less into the discard, the popularity of the pilot house is bringing back the form shown in Fig. 4, which in this case shows the upper and the lower frame of the house which the writer saw incorporated into a Connecticut fishing boat.

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Combined gasoline, kerosene and water drip device suggested by  $W,\ E,\ M.$ 

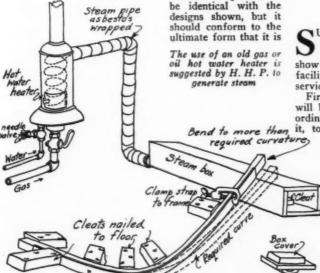
proper selection of material. Even with the more careful selection there will be ribs and carlins that will have a tendency toward cross grain. To prebreaking and vent splintering the use of a backing consisting of steel tire stock is recommended. This is a practice that meets with much favor in shops where stock production is paramount with a resultant lowering of breakage and splintering.

This method is advisable with the so-called western oak which is more liable to breakage than the eastern variety or that oak of all oaks

-Connecticut oak. Fig. 7 will perhaps bring the reader back to the days when he built his first canvas canoe. Despite its mother's crudeness. teakettle has helped out in many similar cases. For

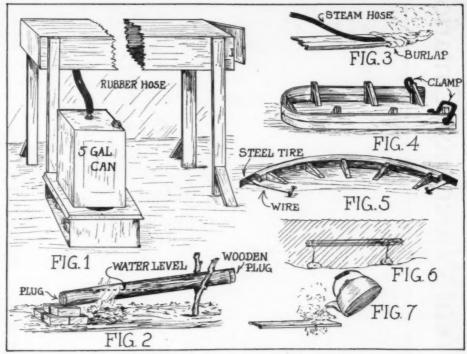
when none of the foregoing are available the process of soaking lumber in a river or pond aids to no small degree (Fig. 6). Instead of piling stones on the material on the bottom of the pond or the river, moor it as suggested. It will then come out free from mud or animal life that is apt to be in the water.

In general it may be stated that all bending should be done over a template, as shown in Fig. 4 and Fig. 5. Not that the template must



Iron strap to prevent splitting outside edge

Bending



Simple ways of bending as suggested by J. E. M.

expected the wood to take. As in the case with ribbands on a hull, all templates must be securely fastened. Where there is to be a bend and a twist, no amount of steaming will prevent cross grained lumber from splitting or break Needless to state, the longer the lumber is allowed to stay in the mould or the template the less trouble will be experienced in fitting the part in its place.

J. E. M., NORWICH, CONN.

### Steam-Bending Frames

UCCESSFUL steam-bending of frames, small boat coamings, cabin sides, etc., requires considerable practice, but observation of professional practice will show that the operations can be quickly performed when facility is acquired. The following suggestions may be of service.

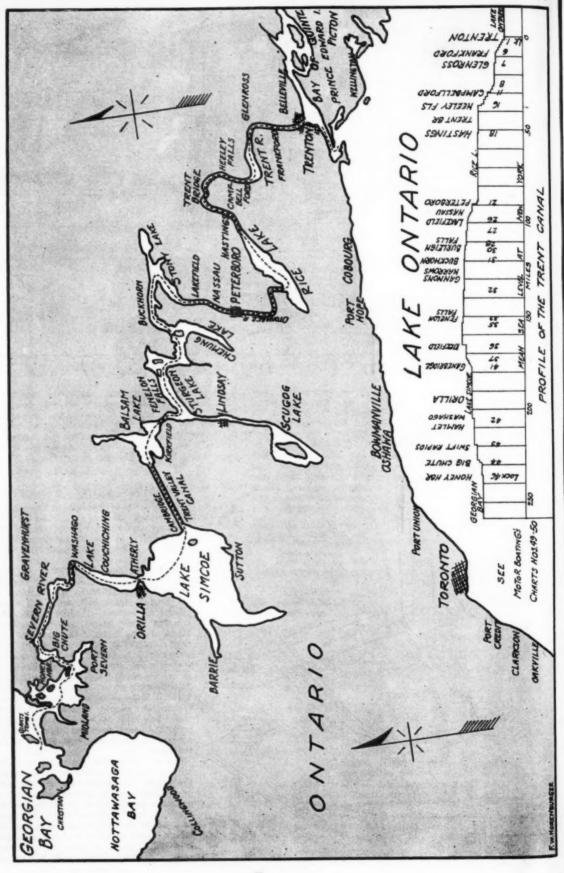
First, a steam generator of some sort, and a steam-box ill be needed. The writer has used all kinds, from an will be needed.

ordinary tea-kettle or wash boiler with a wood fire under it, to a gas heated steam coil, with fairly satisfactory results all around. An old copper or cast iron coil hot water heater, gas or kerosene fired, is best and not difficult to obtain or set up. A small needle valve in the water supply line to the heater is a necessity, for but a small supply of water is required, this being turned into steam in the heater coil, and close regulation is needed. A one-eighth or one-quarter inch pipe size needle valve is large enough for small boat work. steam pipe should be short and be led to the steam-box with as few elbows as possible; wrap it with a good thickness of old rags, burlap or asbestos to conserve the steam. Use no valve in the steam line.

Do not make the steam-box any longer nor with a larger cross-section than needed to hold the lumber to be steamed; usually half-a-dozen or so frames can be steamed at a time, depending upon the speed with which the builder works and the amount of help at hand. Any lumber may be used for the box; set canton flannel or caulking cotton, in red or white lead, in the joints, or thick lead only. Make a close fitting cover for one end, made steam tight with burlap or flannel;

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# Motor Boatman's Chart No. 55 ... Trent Waterway, Ontario



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# WHERE TO CRUISE

### The Trent Waterway in Ontario, Canada, One of Natures Most Picturesque and Attractive Cruising Routes in the East

CONNECTING the waters of Lake Ontario and Lake Huron through Georgian Bay in Canada, there exists a newly completed waterway running through the Trent Valley from which it takes its name. This route offers for the cruiser one of the most attractive cruising grounds on the northern continent. The waters through which this route goes are teeming with countless numbers of fish of all kinds and they are awaiting the baited hook of the fisherman. These endless supplies of trout, small mouthed black bass, maskinonge, etc., are restocked each year from the government fish hatcheries. Along the entire route there are most excellent camping grounds where guides are available for trips of exploration into the forests and interior. At the terminus of the New York State Barge Canal system at Oswego, is a logical point from which to start off for a trip through this waterway. The distance directly across the lake to the entrance of

the Murray canal to the Bay of Quinte, which leads to the city of Trenton is about 85 miles. Trenton is really the beginning of this waterway. Throughout its entire length there are numerous hotels, at which the visitor can secure first class accommodations at moderate rates.

Due to the mountainous country through which this waterway flows, the currents are controlled by many locks and lifts. There are no less than forty-six different locks along this canal, including two of the hydraulic type which have total lifts of 48½-feet in the one case, and 65-feet in the other. In addition there are at Swift Rapids and Big Chute, marine railways which limit the size of boats to 56-feet in length and 13-feet 5-inches beam for any who

inches beam for any who desire to go beyond Orillia. The canal is entirely free without lockage charges or fees. The service is excellent and there are no customs restrictions. The entire route is buoyed and the arrangement is such, that in going up-stream the red is kept on the right hand side, and the black or white on the left. Charts which detail the several sections of this route are available and can be obtained through the Trent Waterway Development Association at Peterborough, Canada. These charts are a set of twelve and in addition there is a guide book which covers many other features of The industrial development in this section has been very rapid, and it is attributable directly to the constant supply of hydro-electric power which is available at Facilities for shipping to all markets are available, low cost. and the abundance of labor makes this region a fast growing Many branch factories have been established and in the city of Peterborough, with 25,000 inhabitants, there are forty-two different industries represented. The distance to Peterborough can be roughly stated to be about five days by water, and eighteen hours by rail from New York.

Throughout the entire 250 miles of this waterway there are only some thirty miles which can be considered as

canal. The balance is through connected lakes and rivers running through the most picturesque and delightful region. The capacity of the waterway from its entrance at Trenton to Lake Simcoe, is for boats up to 118-feet in length, and 33-foot beam. At the entrance there is a chain of six locks which takes the cruiser practically to the village of Frankford. From here the waters of Bradley Bay are used, and the next flight of ten locks comes at Campbellford. This city is located on Trent River and has excellent hotel accommodations. There is an interesting electric power plant where 30,000 h. p. is developed within six miles of this town. Continuing along the Trent River the village of Hastings is soon approached since it is only fifty miles beyond Trenton, and twenty-three miles further to Peterborough. Hastings is a popular summer resort where good fishing of all kinds can be had. Guides are available, as are excellent camping sights for those who wish to tarry here.

### Cruise No. 11 — Trent Valley Waterway

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Trent River		5-6	12	128		
Hastings		7-8	8	136		
Harwood		9	16	152		
Bewdley Wallace Point		10	8	160	175	
Peterborough		11	14	174	161	
Lakefield		12	10	184	151	
Young's Point		13	4	188	147	
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Washago				289		
Midland			28	317	18	
Penetang			10	327	8	
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Beyond Hastings this waterway traverses Rice Lake, which is a large body of fresh water, the natural channels of which are ample for all vessels. Three channels give access to the Ofonabee River from Rice Lake, and the center one being arranged for deeper navi-gation. The Otonabee gation. The Otonabee River has been deepened from the lake to lock No. 19, the maximum draft at present being about feet. It is contemplated to increase this to 9-feet at a future time. At the city of Peterborough the canal structures are very unique. There is at Peterborough a hydraulic lift lock which has chambers 139 by 33-feet in size. The weight of water in the chamber is 1140 tons, while the steel work to support this, is an addiv33|6

tional 1400 tons. The hydraulic rams which operate this, are 7-feet 6-inches in diameter. This lock is theoretically an automatic machine and takes the place of ordinary locks, where a great difference of level is found in a short distance. They may be considered to be two immense elevators with their hydraulic presses connected so that the descent of one causes the rise of the other.

From Lakefield to Balsam Lake the route is navigable for a depth of six feet and follows the Kawartha Lakes chain and the connecting rivers.

Between Balsam Lake and Lake Simcoe, there is another hydraulic lock at Kirkfield. The lift of this is not quite as high as the one at Peterborough, although the operation is in general similar. From this point to Lake Simcoe there are five locks in five miles which drop boats down to a lower level. There are also twelve bridges, eight of which are swing spans. Continuing on through the Severn River past the city of Orillia, which is one of the chief ports of the waterway, we are stopped by the lock at Swift Rapids. Here the work of construction is not yet entirely complete, and to overcome the lift a small marine railway can carry boats between the two levels.

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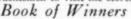
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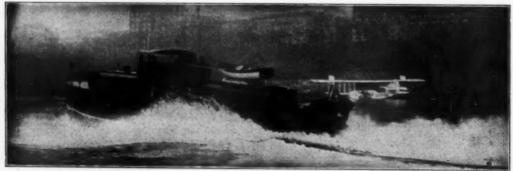
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Mr. Gustav H. Koven, President and General Manager of L. O. Koven and Brother, Inc.

York City forty-three years ago by William Koven and Theodore Hepe. The founders were successful from the first and they soon discovered that the business required room to grow and special the business required room to grow and special facilities for receiving, handling and shipping the heavy materials they used, so they procured a two story frame building, 50 ft. by 100 ft. in Jersey City on the site of the present plant. This little factory has developed and expanded continually since then until it now covers several acres and has a total floor space of more than 150,000 square feet in a dozen different buildings.

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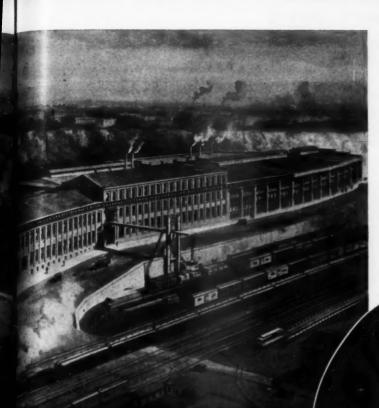
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150,000 square feet in a dozen different buildings. After the original partners retired in 1897 the Koven business was conducted by the two sons of the founder, L. O. Koven and G. H. Koven, until the decease of the former a year ago; it has recently been incorporated as L. O. Koven and Brother, Inc., with Mr. G. H. Koven as President and General Manager, L. O. Koven, Jr., as Vice President and Treasurer, and Theodore Koven, M. E., as master mechanic of the plant. The story of how the Koven plant has grown and prospered under the present management is and prospered under the present management is typical of modern American business history, a story of steady and sometimes rapid progress, of honest products honestly built, of improved equipment for economical production of everything in the line of heavy sheet metal work.

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ization is that its present size is an evolution of long and steady growth in contrast with many manufacturing plants which expanded like mushrooms under the stimulus of war work and have been burdened with idle machinery and excessive overhead expense ever since. In this plant the variety of products is so great that all departments are kept busy the year around and

Mr. Ludolph O. Koven, head of the Koven organization organization for many years until his decease

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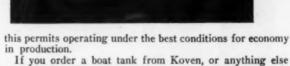
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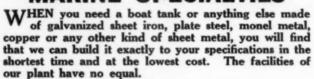


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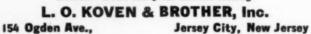
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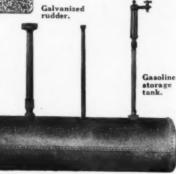
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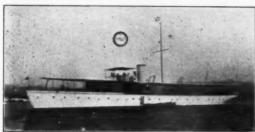
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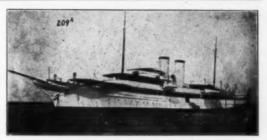
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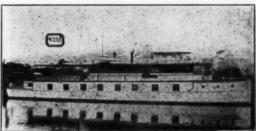
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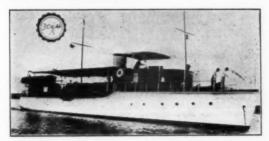
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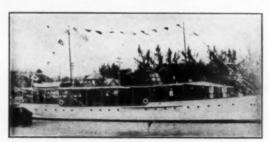
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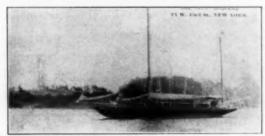
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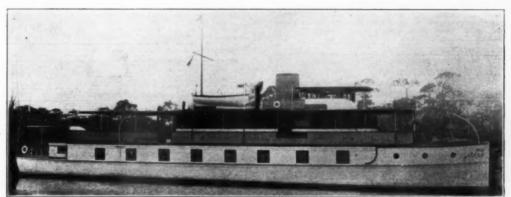
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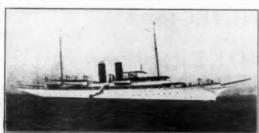
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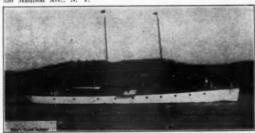
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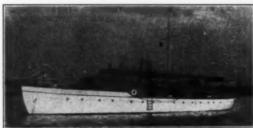
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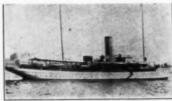
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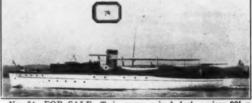
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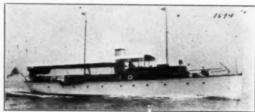
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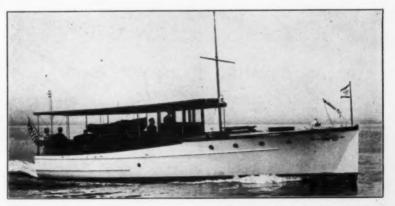
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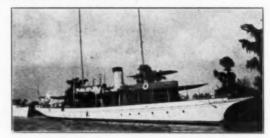
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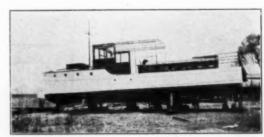
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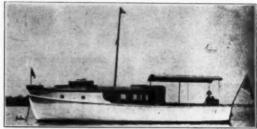
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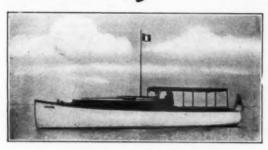
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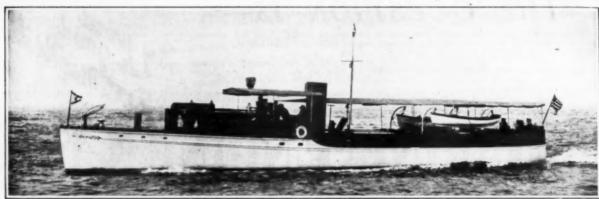


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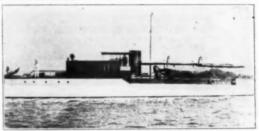
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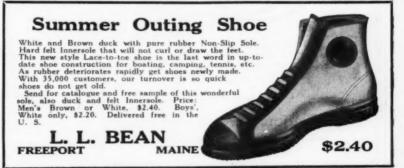
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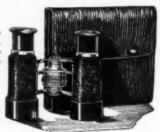
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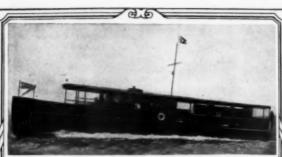
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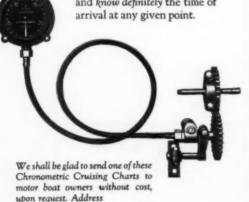
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A point, often misunderstood, is the relative efficiency of high and low density gasolines. It is a common opinion among gas-oline users, that a fuel of low specific gravity (high Baume test) is more efficient, in that they can get more miles per gal-That is not true, if the motor and its lon with their engine. equipment are designed for the fuel used. What is commonly called low grade gasoline by the user is just as high grade a product as the old 74 degree stove gasoline, and your modern. motor will develop more power with this compounded fuel than it will with the old 74 degree straight distilled gasoline, which was practically a byproduct in the production of kerosene until the perfection of the gasoline engine.

The motor will have a hot spot manifold as short as is possible and without pockets or sharp turns to throw the heavier particles of the vapor or mist out of suspension. A hot water or exhaust gas jacketed carbureter which is designed for just this fuel, in order to assure the various fractions being properly suspended in the air. In addition to this an arrangement is provided for heating the air before it is drawn into the carbureter. This motor operates at a temperature which keeps the discharge water from the jackets at a temperature just below the boiling point.

Any old motor will operate on 74 degree gasoline; but it is not readily obtained. If the old motor is to still operate it must be altered in itself or its equipment so that the heavier fuels can be used. The addition of a hot air intake will help to vaporize and finely divide the fuel so that it can be more readily carried along by the air, and a hot jacketed carbureter will still further assist in the mixing and maintaining of the mixture. However, the warmer the air the less weight of fuel it will carry in suspension.

After we get the fuel properly suspended in the air it isstill a problem to keep it there with the intake manifold of years ago. Perhaps you can recall seeing 12 or 14 inches of brass pipe and right angle elbows coupled up for an intakemanifold which extended to the base of the motor. test gasoline formed practically a permanent mixture but themixture from the present day gasoline is by no means permanent. It would condense and run down the manifold and throw out at the turns. Hot jacketing this pipe would help-but the fitting of a modern carbureter with the elimination of the vertical pipe in connection with hot jacketing the exposed manifold will produce about all results that are possible with the motor. On a multi-cylinder engine the carbureter should be so arranged that the butterfly throttle valve, when partially closed, deflects the mixture to the top rather than to one side. This prevents a rich mixture to one set of cylinders and starv-

The intake manifold designed with easy curves and counter curves to equalize the throw out and reduce the centrifugal force which causes the throw out, is important. The minute-particles which are thrown out condense on the manifold or are carried along that side to the nearest cylinder which consequently gets a richer mixture unless corrected by a counter curve. The hot spot manifold can not be readily adapted to motors not so designed but in some cases it is possible to fit a new manifold or hot jacket to the old one to prevent condensa-

Several motors of modern design are built to operate on kerosene or distillate as well as gasoline, but except where gasoline is hard to obtain the use of other fuels is not advisable on pleasure boats.

Most marine motors are operated at a temperature far too low for economical operation. Many operators are scared if they can not hold their hand on the cylinders at any time, but so long as steam does not form in the jackets no harm will result from the temperature and less fuel will be required as there will be less heat loss. A motor-meter fitted to a teein the discharge close to the motor, or a distance type meter, will indicate the temperature; and the regulation may be accomplished by by-passing some of the hot water back to the intake, controlling the flow by a valve in the line and the seacock. A large volume of hot or warm water circulated rapidly will maintain a more even temperature in the jackets than a smaller quantity of cold water.



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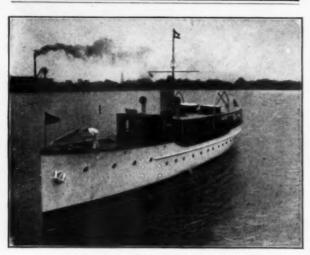
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### Fuel Economy with Low Grade Fuel

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Of course a motor must be in good mechanical condition to secure economical operation. Be sure that the carbureter is suitable and properly adjusted, fitted with a hot air intake or hot jacketed or both, and closely adjusted. Keep free from carbon and so adjust the flow of cooling water that the discharge is just a few degrees below the boiling point. Run with the spark well advanced as much as you can, controlling the speed by throttling. A retarded spark slows the motor but uses only part of the stroke and, therefore, only part of of the fuel burned.

of the fuel burned.

The spark should be a fat one. Combustion is not instantaneous and the faster the mixture is ignited the faster it burns and the less the fuel required. There is a high tension transformer device on the market that about doubles the volume of the spark, thus improving the operation of the motor

and lowering the fuel consumption. An auxiliary air valve in the manifold, which is opened An auxiliary air valve in the manifold, which is opened at speed will decrease fuel consumption slightly, but the air admitted should be warm so as to not precipitate any of the foggy mixture. There are devices for this purpose on the market, or a check valve and pet cock will answer.

At a speed of from 15% to 20% below full speed the motor will be more economical in fuel than at full speed and wear on

The design of the motor and the compounding of the fuel is engineer's work, but by looking closely to the details of installation, equipment, and operation, the efficiency of any engine, operating on any fuel can be increased. W. B. M., Newburgh, N. Y.

### Water Vapor Stops Carbon

OWER grades of fuel can be successfully used in the average marine motor by the addition of special arrangements to insure the proper vaporization of the heavier oils and to avoid pre-ignition knocks due to incandescent carbon deposits in the combustion chamber. There are more B. T. U.'s in a given quantity of kerosene than in the same quantity of gasoline.

The explosion of a mixture of kerosene and air is hotter, therefore, than that of a mixture of gasoline and air under similar conditions, and as the former is more prone to produce carbon deposits, premature firing of the incoming charge by incandescent carbon is a very common fault.

A successful method of overcoming carbon knocks or pre-

A successful method of overcoming carbon knocks or preignition is to introduce steam or water vapor into the carbureter air intake along with the air. The action is a chemical one. In the explosion of the mixture, the water (H<sub>2</sub>O) is decomposed into hydrogen and oxygen gases. The free oxygen attacks any carbon particles present, thereby reducing and even preventing the formation of carbon. It also tends to produce more perfect combustion of the kerosene and air mixture, thereby adding to the force of the explosion. This method of adding water vapor to the incoming charge is not only useful in kerosene burning motors, but will be found to be a great help in keeping down carbon in gasoline motors. One four-cylinder motor I know of, was run with this water vapor method on gasoline for five years and when taken down, not more than a couple teaspoonsfull of carbon could be scraped from all cylinders. from all cylinders.

To provide for the proper vaporization of kerosene or similar oils an arrangement like that shown in the drawing may be used. A galvanized iron jacket or sleeve about one inch larger in diameter than the exhaust pipe is fitted around the latter. This sleeve for using kerosene should be at least thirty inches long and may be fitted to a horizontal run of exhaust pipe as well as on an inclined section. Galvanized iron or cast iron ends are riveted in place, which in turn are bored to fit snugly on the exhaust line.

on the exhaust line.

On one end of this jacket a sheet metal outlet is riveted as shown in the sketch which is conected to the carbureter air inlet with flexible metalic tubing. On the other end an opening is cut in the top for the admission of air. Thus it will be seen, the carbureter draws heated air which is necessary for the proper vaporization of the kerosene. If the cooling water from the motor is piped into the exhaust line it should enter at a point beyond this sleeve or jacket to insure the maximum heat being given to the air passing through the latter.

To provide the steam or water vapor in the mixture, mount a water tank of about one gallon capacity near the air inlet opening in the sleeve. This tank has a ½-inch brass pipe at the bottom, a shut-off cook and a brass needle valve. The needle valve is arranged to drip through the opening in the

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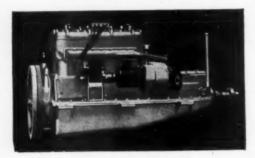
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### Water Vapor Stops Carbon

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jacket and strike the hot exhaust pipe, producting steam, which is drawn along with the inrushing air.

The rate of flow of this water can be best gotten by trial and once set, the needle valve need not be touched as the plug cock should be used to stop and start the water drip. A drain hole should be provided in the lower side of the jacket so that the water will not accumulate in the jacket if it is left dripping while the motor is idle.

In boats operating in fresh water only, the tank may be dspensed with and the water drawn from the overflow of the cooling system. This is not practical, however, with

Heating the incoming air and adding water vapor will also economize the use of gasoline in marine motors, but the heating should be to a lesses degree. In other words, a much shorter jacket should be used, as heating the incoming air over a certain point cuts down the power of

Of course it is necessary to start up on gasoline and witch over to kerosene after the motor has warmed up. For this purpose two tanks are necessary and a feed pipe and cock arrangement as shown in drawing will be nec-

W. E. M., Philadelphia, Pa.

### Steam-Bending Frames

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fasten a substantial handle to the outside. Before nailing on the botton board of the box, fasten on several cleats for the

steaming lumber to rest on.

The amount of steam and length of time to leave the lumber The amount of steam and length of time to leave the lumber in the box depends upon the size and nature of the material. Upon removing, if it does not bend readily, replace and steam longer, but work quickly when once starting to bend, for this must be done before the lumber cools. One essential point is always to give the piece more bend than actually required, for steam bent lumber always straightens out a little when cool. If steam bent lumber always straightens out a little when cool. If bent too much when cold, it can be straightened without damage, but can never be given more curvature. If not straight grained, a bent frame will often split on the outside of the bend; to prevent this, obtain a length of strap iron about the length and width of the frame, not any narrower, and quickly clamp this to the outside as the frame is removed from the steam-box. Bend this strap with the frame and the splitting of the wood will be avoided. Before bending, draw the required curve on the floor, then nail cleats around the inside, remembering to place these so that more than the needed curvature will be place these so that more than the needed curvature will be given; bend the frame around these and clamp or hold by another outside cleat until cold.

Planking, especially the garboard streak, frequently requires steam bending; after steaming, clamp one end in a vise and clamp a wood lever to the other end, then twist, always to more than the needed amount, and hold in position until cold.

H. H. P., Los Gatos, Calif.

### Coast Guard Fleet Progressing Fast

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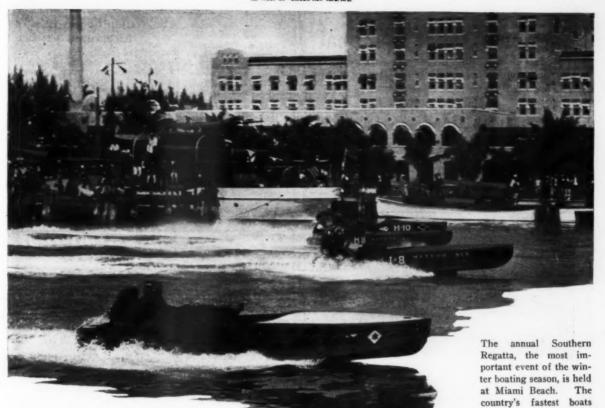
over a considerable period.

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Under the contracts the engines were to be delivered, starting

Under the contracts the engines were to be delivered, starting in two months from times of awards, deliveries to be completed within five months, by which time, it is hoped, the hulls will be ready for them. Long before then, possibly, the first of the fleet will take the water. As the boats are delivered and found satisfactory they are to be shot out to patrol points where liquor and other contraband running is the worst. In the meantime, the Coast Guard intends to keep secret the number in operation, and the points where they are working. Especially will this hold with the speedy destroyers, and the latter will be moved about from point to point as the enemy concentrates his forces. Then, when the fleet is complete a certain number of units will be more or less permanently stationed at the worst points of entry, and Mr. Bootlegger will be told just how strong a welcoming committee awaits his be told just how strong a welcoming committee awaits his

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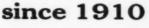


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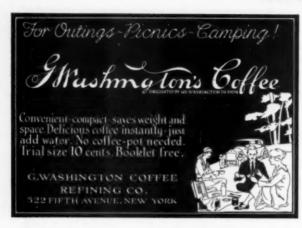
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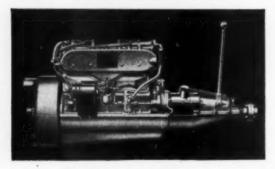
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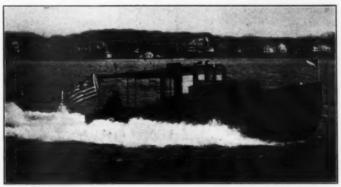
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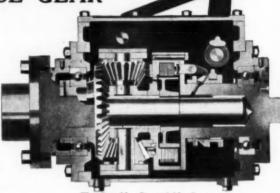
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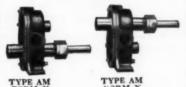
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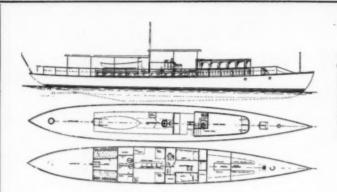
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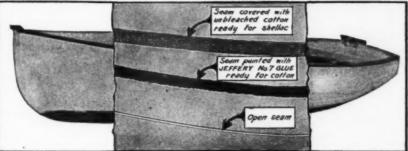
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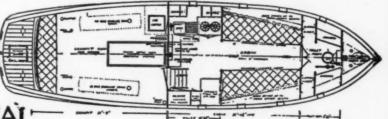


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### Colonel Jesse G. Vincent

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and on May 27, 1917, he went to Washington to finish the engineering plans he had started. Out of these plans came the Liberty motor and Vincent was then requested by the government to resign from the Packard and accept a commission so that he might follow up important engineering work in connection with aircraft.

On August 15, that same year, he was commissioned a major in the signal corps. He accepted that official capacity on Sept. 4, after having given his resignation to the Packard company. and was immediately assigned to the Equipment Division and placed in charge of the Engine Design Section. He proceeded to Dayton, O., under special order, dated October 17, 1917, and began building an experimental aircraft engineering station at McCook field. He was placed in full charge of the airplane engineering department at Dayton, and in command of McCook field. Feb. 6, 1918, and the following day was promoted to the grade of Lieutenant-Colonel.
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On August 8 he became a reserve military aviator and a little more than a month later—the date was Sept. 13—he acquired the title of Chief of Engineering for the Airplane Engineering Division of the Bureau of Aircraft Production. Under a special order, dated Nov. 5, 1918, he was detailed as a member of the Joint Army and Navy Technical Aircraft Board. This was a few days before the ending of the war and directly after the cessation of hostilities Colonel Vincent applied for his discharge and got it on November 30.

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"He said, afterwards, that he believed it would escape even Colonel Vincent's eagle eye.

"The Colonel, in making his final inspection, crawled under the machine, grunted, and slid back out.

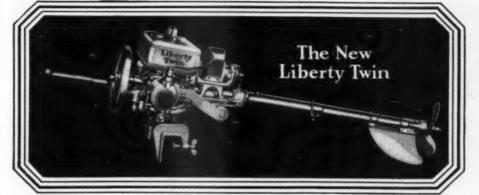
"'There's a bum rivet in there,' he snapped. 'Get it out of

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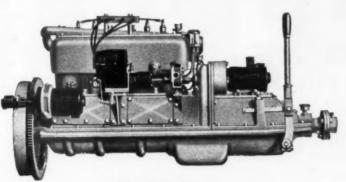
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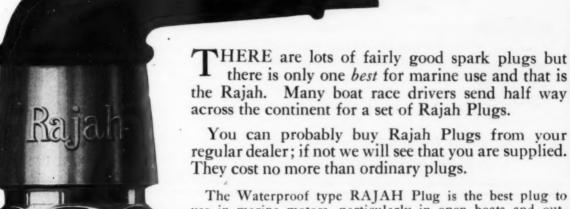
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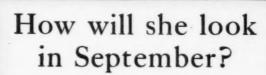
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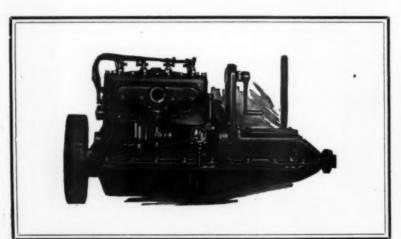
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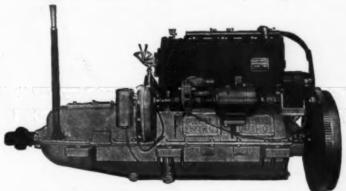
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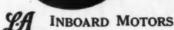
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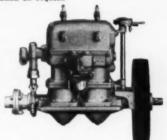


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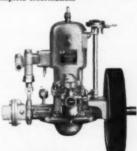
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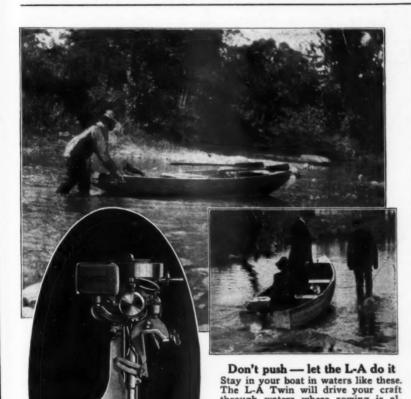
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Outboard Motors Popular in India

Outboard motor racing can no longer be classed as an American sport exclusively. At a recent two-day program of land and sea sports held at Johore, Strait Settlements, in honor of the fiftieth birthday of His Highness, the Sultan, an

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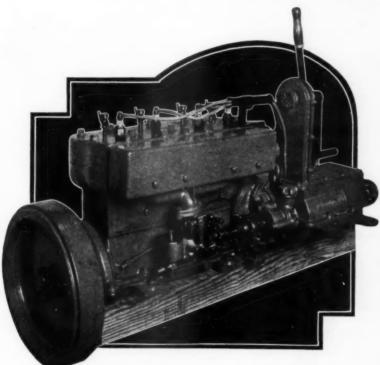
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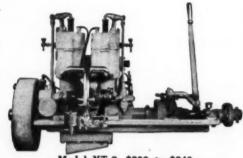
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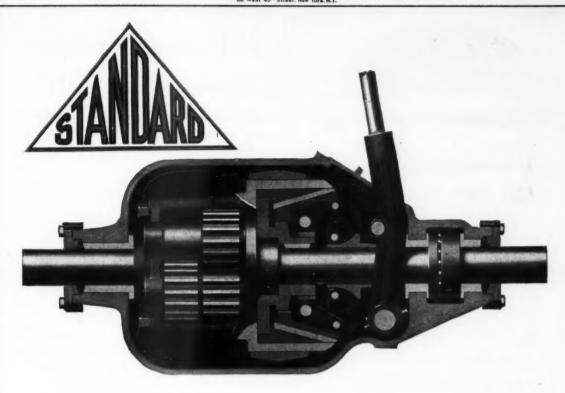
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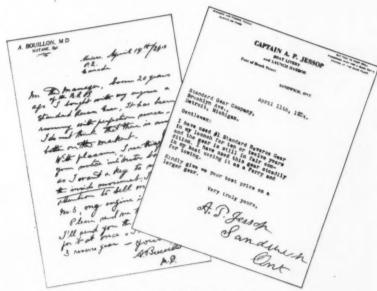
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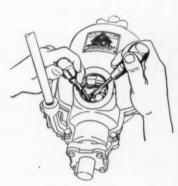
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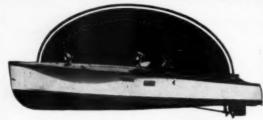
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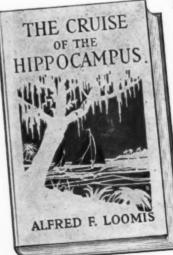
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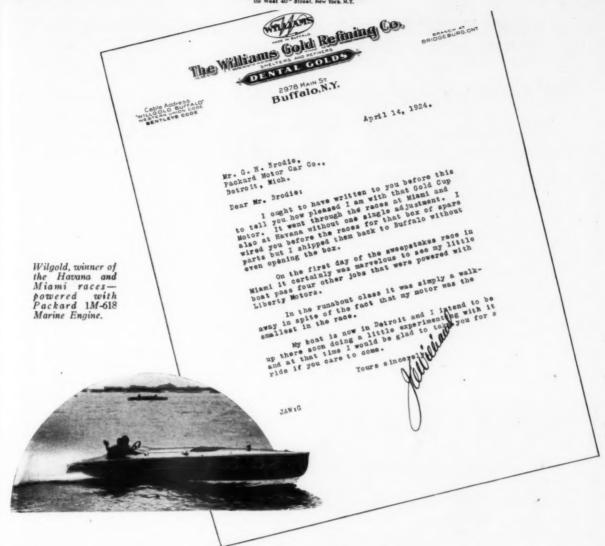
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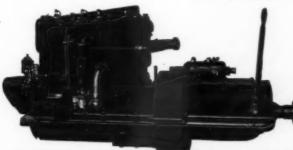
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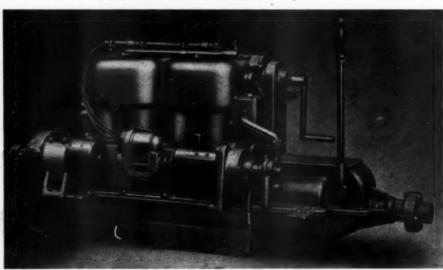
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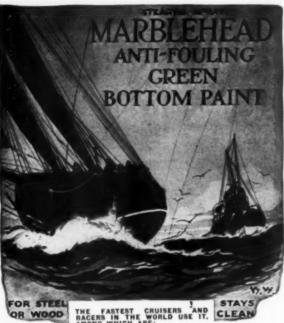
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#### Buffalo Regatta Taking Shape

The Regatta Committee of the Buffalo Launch Club is hard at work on its program for the Annual International Regatta to be held at Buffalo on August 14 to 17. The course selected for the races will be five miles in length, with a turning mark at each end. The upper one being off Riverside Park, while the lower turn will be just below the Buffalo Club's dock with 2½ miles between the marks. The races to be held are sanctioned by the American Power Boat Association, and will be run, one heat each day with the awards made on a point system. The first race daily will be for the Interstate Trophy presented by the National Association of Boat and Engine Manufacturers. Boats competing for this trophy must have minimum dimensions of 25 by 5 feet, and be powered with marine engines, not exceeding 625 cubic inches. The length of each day's heat will be 25 miles, and the races will start promptly at 2 P.M. Wilgold II, Miss Mary, Maradon, Bear Cats and Baby June have all promised to compete.

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The third event each day will be a race of 20 miles for the George Leary, Jr. Trophy. This will start at five o'clock, and will be for hydroplanes with a minimum of 20-feet length, and a maximum engine displacement of 1,100 cubic inches. Commodore Grimm, owner of Miss Peerless, has already agreed to defend the Trophy, having won it on two previous occasions. Should he be successful, the Trophy will become his permanent property. Commodore Sidway will bring Arab VII and Ross Miller will bring Miss Buffalo. In addition, many of the fast Mississippi Valley boats are expected to come on and try the waters of the Niagara.

For a final wind up event, the Club has planned for August 17, a big bang-up race that will be the outstanding feature of the year's racing. This will be the Buffalo Launch Club's \$5,000 Sweepstakes Race. The start will be at two o'clock, and the distance 100 miles. Boats for this must have a minimum of 25 by 5-feet and a maximum engine displacement of 1,075 cubic inches. Other restrictions and requirements are still. under consideration, and will be made public at another time. In general, however, the conditione will be similar to those used for the Gold Cup class. While the Prize division has not been definitely settled, it is believed the first prize will be \$2,000 in cash or merchandise, and the remaining \$3,000 divided among the next seven or nine boats to finish. It is expected to have at least twenty boats in this event. The plans for this entire Regatta are going forward with great enthusiasm, and it is apparent that these races will be among the most successful of the entire summer racing season.

#### U. S. N. Boat Glocks

For some time past, the Navy Department has been selling surplus material, which has consisted in the main of equipment for larger boats, not exactly suited to small boat purposes. Recently, however, the E. J. Willis Company of New York, bought a large quantity of Chelsea, Waltham, and Seth Thomas heavy cast brass clocks in three different sizes, viz., 3½, 4 and 6 inch. While these clocks are not of the striking variety, they are wonderful time pieces. The test for them consisted of alternate heat and cold daily for one week. If they gained or lost a half second, they were rejected. These clocks are all new and direct from the Observatory at Washington, and the price at which the Willis Company is selling them is astonishing. This company has issued a new booklet containing over one thousand items of surplus Navy material which is useful on a boat. Copies of it will be sent to any yachtsman or dealer on request to the E. J. Willis Company, 85 Chambers Street, New York, N. Y.

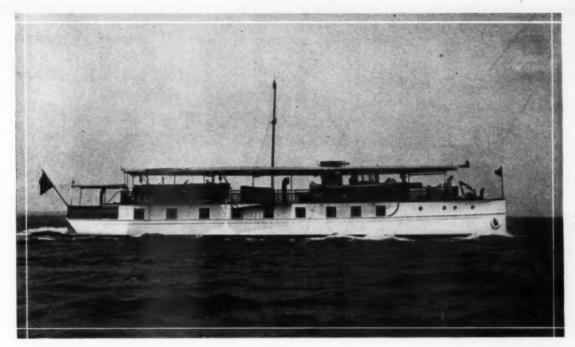


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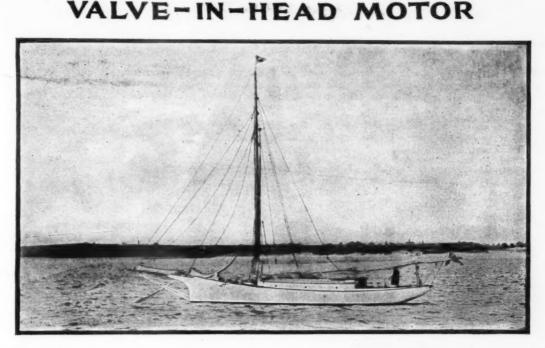


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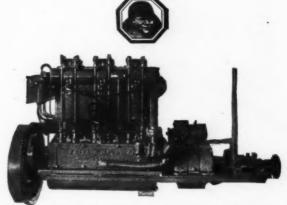
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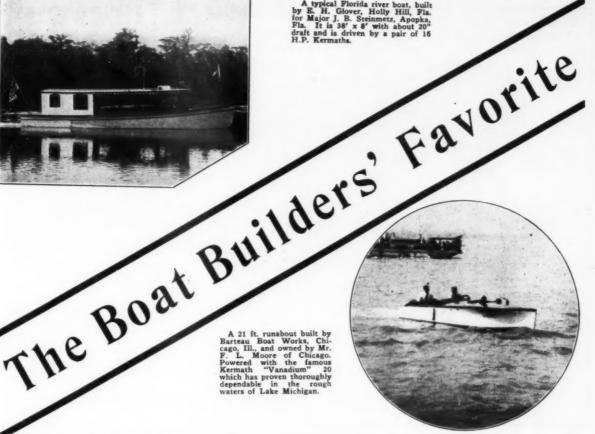
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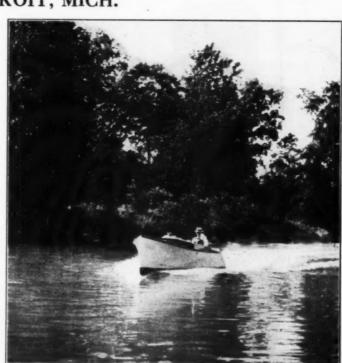


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#### Periwinkl, a Wholesome Cruising Craft (Continued from page 33)

hardwood false keel, or a metal shoe, otherwise it will not stand the wear of grounding. Spruce is an excellent material for boat building purposes excepting for planking: here its propensity to swell and shrink is too great, and this is especially so if the planking is light as shown on these plans.

The stem is to be built up from three pieces of yellow pine sided 2½ inches, there is little use in making this heavy, if the head is left moulded 3½ inches, the place where the chine intersects 5 inches, and 6 inches at Station 1, there will be plenty of wood to hold fastenings and ample strength. The cut water should be left ¾ inch in width and shod with a helf round brace. should be left 34 inch in width and shod with a half round brass should be left ¾ inch in width and shod with a half round brass stem band. The parts of the stem should be fastened together with ¼ inch galvenized iron bolts, heads countersunk in the cut water and the nuts inside. There should be a scarph at least 14 inches long between the keel and the stem, this must also be fastened with ¼ inch diameter galvanized iron bolts; three should be ample. It must not be forgotten that stop waters must be inserted wherever parts of the stem and deadwood are under water otherwise water will find its way along the icited. under water, otherwise water will find its way along the joints. Stop waters are white pine dowels, and are put in across the of these are shown on the plans.

After the keel is made and set up the frames should be built Perhaps I should have mentioned before that the easiest way to build any boat is to go about it in the professional way. This means that the lines must be layed down on a convenient floor to full size. At first this may seem an arduous job, but it really simplifies the work and the day or so required for this preliminary work is well spent. Forms as usually made for the building of a boat will not be needed as the frames in this boat remain in the craft. These are to be made of 1½ by 2½ inch yellow pine or white oak and are set on 1 ft. 10 inches on centers. At the corner of the chine the on 1 ft. 10 inches on centers. At the corner of the chine the side and bottom frames are secured by a ½ piece of oak as shown. At the keel the frames are secured by a 1½ inch thick yellow pine floor timber; notice that both the floor timber and the corner block are fitted on the forward face of each frame. I should use galvanized iron screws for the fastenings here, these should be No. tens 2 inches in length, and let through the oak block and screwed into the frames. The upper ends of the frames must be connected with a temporary member about the same dimensions as the deck beams. It will be betabout the same dimensions as the deck beams. It will be better to cut the notches for the seam battens and the chine pieces after the frames have been set up as the work of planking Care spent in setting up the frames, making sure that each is both square across the keel and plumb, will assure a fair sheer line and make both sides of the boat alike.

a fair sheer line and make both sides of the boat alike. It will be noticed after studying the plans that the side planking is laid fore and aft of ½ inch white cedar in five strakes. Battens will be needed behind these seams and these should be about ½ by 2 inches of white oak. The chine log is let into the frames as shown and is not of the rabbeted type. Also you will notice there is an inwale of ½ by 3 inch yellow pine let into the frames along the sheer, this serves two purposes; one as a nailing piece for the decking, the other as a permanent batten along the sheer. The clamp should be put in under the temporary deck members; it is to be yellow pine ½ by 3 inches. A boat of this construction should be built right side up. The side planking applied and then the permanent deck frames put A boat of this construction should be built right side up. The side planking applied and then the permanent deck frames put in. Thus the structure will be well secured and the craft can be healed down or turned bottom side up to facilitate laying the planking on the bottom. The clamps, inwales, and chine logs should be through botted with ½ inch galvenized iron bolts. The deck beams are fastened with long galvenized iron nails, one nail into the clamp, another into the frame head.

head.

The bottom planking is laid diagonally with the seams leading aft from the keel and apron piece. The planks should be about 6 inches wide and ½ inch thick and of white cedar. The width of these is not important and they need not all be alike. The seams should have a slight outgage so as to take caulking, but make sure the inside of the seam is fitted tight otherwise the caulking will drive through. I should fasten the entire bottom with galvanized iron screws, using No. tens about 1¾ inch long. The heads should be let in and covered with wooden plugs. Wherever wood surfaces come together paint with red lead or liquid marine glue, the glue is the better, I believe.

The deck is to be 5% by 8 by 3 inch tongue and groove spruce or white pine, any other light weight wood can be used if desired, but do not lay a heavy deck. A lot of unnecessary weight is useless in this kind of boat. She is designed to be bouyant and the upper works especially must be light. Boat nails will be suitable for deck fastenings with the heads punched slightly (Continued on page 126)

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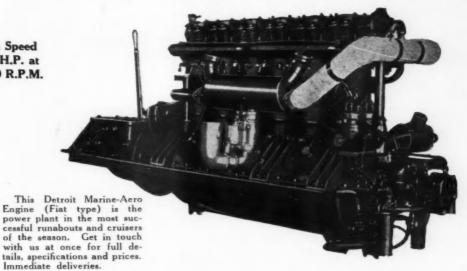
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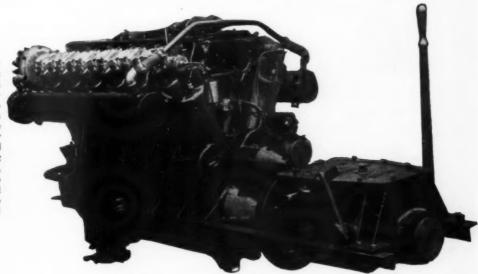
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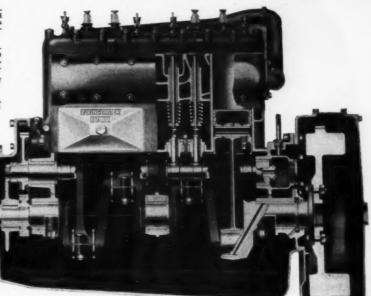
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#### Periwinkl, a Wholesome Cruising Craft

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below the surface. Eight ounce duck will cover the deck and so it is not necessary to caulk or putty the seams. The surface should be planed smooth and fair but it is not necessary to finish it like the sides or bottom.

Around the deck there is a rail. This adds a professional touch to the job that the amateur usually neglects. This rail should stand plumb rather than with the flare of the top sides: it is not difficult to fit and sets the sheer off to fine advantage.

The cabin sides and coaming should be in a single length but if a long piece of cypress is unobtainable a butt can be made at the after end of the house and the joint covered with a strip of 1/16 inch brass. The building of the house should not be troublesome since the sides are but ½ inch thick and there is very little sweep to the sides. The forward corners can be made just as these are in a box, and then fit a filler piece inside to give additional strength. The deck carlins should be made 1½ by 1½ inch square. The ends are to be let into the sides and covered with the top canvas and the half round moulding around the edge of the top. The cabin top is laid with the same kind of material as the deck and fastened in a similar manner.

The cockpit well hangs from the deck beams on three 3% inch diameter rods each side, these are threaded both ends and after the well is made are set up tight. Two 1½ inch scuppers must be fitted in the after corners of the well so as to carry off water: lead pipe should be used for making these.

There are so many separate operations needed in the building of any boat that is impracticable to attempt to cover them all in a single article. The best one can do is to cover the principal points and leave the others to the ingenuity of the builder. I want any of you to feel that you can write me any time for information or advice in connection with the building or outfitting of Periwinkl. If a set of blue prints of the original drawings of this boat will help in the construction, these are available at a nominal cost by addressing F. W. Horenburger, 4263 Byron Ave., Bronx, N. Y. These drawings are to a scale of half inch to the foot, and are possibly a little more legible than the reproductions published.

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Now we must take up the cabin. In so small a craft a separate toilet room wastes space and is not desirable. As shown the toilet is installed under the tail end of the double forward berth. It is here out of the way and yet convenient; a curtain can be hung across the cabin trunk which in the simplest way divides the cabin and thus gives privacy to the toilet. The bunks are all big and there is plenty of room above them for air and comfort. With the motor entirely hidden under the bridge deck the cabin is clean and open with more than plenty of sitting room, despite the moderate headroom under the carlins of 4 feet 10 inches. Don't increase the height of the cabin or the freeboard, this will result in a high sided looking craft and destroy the balance of the whole thing. Don't change the plans anyway excepting in minor details inside the cabin. Changed plans are little better than no plans at all, and since I have put a whole lot of thought into this boat why spoil her? The galley is big enough to be practical and with its sink, ice chest (which is to be built in under the drain board) stove and lockers is something more than a tiny nook in which to prenare meals.

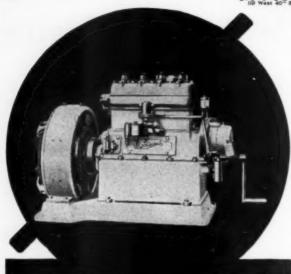
Since I am a firm believer in some kind of sail to use in an emergency I have laid out a sail plan that is both practical and easy to handle. One halyard and one sheet controls the lug sail and while it is hardly expected that Periwinkl will dash up to windward she will move along with a free breeze and a lot of fun and rest can be taken with the motor shut off and the sail spread.

Not knowing the kind and size motor that will be installed I have not specified a suitable propeller. Just drop me a line when you have decided on your motor and I will, post haste, set you right on the subject.

The cost of building Periwinkl will depend upon the locality in which the builder lives, the type of motor installed, the woods used, and the way the boat is finished and fitted. She can be built without a motor and its accessories for \$1250.00 near New York. Motor and equipment would be perhaps as much as \$400.00 which would make the finished job cost about \$1650.00.

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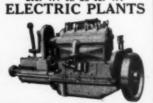
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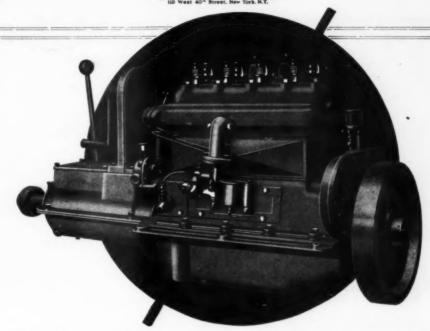
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stories to the sidewalk with painful and possibly fatal results. If all this doesn't happen, and your landlord he doesn't can you by this time, you proceeds with the next plank and by the time you gets half the plank on, you thinks you is building a ocean liner. However results they only come to the perseverance and after so many months they elapse you loses count, you gets her all planked and then you proceeds to the pleasure of putting in the accommodations. You puts in the seats and the bottle locker for non-intoxicating beverages shown in the drawings and maybe you has some original ideas and puts in a shelf, for a talking machine and a radio set and if you has those instincts for self-preservation, you puts in a place for life preservers which is readily accessible. Guava it may be finished natural or she may be painted, but I notes all females, they runs strong for painted jobs nowadays and anyways a amature boat it seldom can stand a natural finish, whereas if you uses a lot of paint and putty, you kids yourself better that she floats.

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staff and if you is a member of the Kuklux or the Nights of Columbus, you has a emblem of that order made to put on the bow staff, what looks pretty before she is launched and which gets knocked off the first time you comes alongside the dock. Now your boat, it is finished or you is. One or the other. By this time you has lost ten pounds and your job but you is hilarious. When you starts to take her out if you finds you cannot get her down the stairs, I advises you to proceed as follows: Cut her in two with a saw just aft of station 3, you then nails some weather strip firmly along the edges, you fits two garage door hinges on the bottom and puts a couple of stout catches on the gunwale to hold the two parts together when in use and buys a powerful bilge pump. Put it into the back of the car, or if you has a closed car, put it onto the roof, or if you has no car, hire a truck, and drive to the nearest deep water. Invite your mother-in-law to accompany you. You doesn't have to invite your friends, because if you has any, which is doubtful, by the time you has completed the boat, they will come along anyway, together with three hundred other undesirable persons. Arriving at the dock, have Guava placed gently in the water, right side up. Then cast your eye around innocent-like as possible and let your gaze light, accidental-like on your mother-in-law. You smiles brightly, extend your hand to her and gives her the honor of being first aboard, in a ingratiating manner. You leads her gentle-like to the edge of the dock, adjusts her, if possible so she steps on the gunwale and then if you conducts yourself cooly during the next few minutes, your months of hard labor, they is not spent in yain.

Frank Pembroke Huckins

#### Under the Jolly Roger

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and tackle this outfit, even if he knows he'll get killed. And that's just what will happen to him if he comes. Let poor Mac stay aboard. When we don't come back, he'll know it's all off, and if he has time to think over it he'll realize it would be foolish to try to do anything. But right now Mac's mad as a wet hen, and if we holler for help—Scraggsy, please don't holler. Die game."

Captain Scraggs turned his terrified glance on Mr. Gibney's tortured face. Scraggs was certainly a coward at heart, but there was something in Mr. Gibney's unselfishness that touched a spot in his hard nature—a something he never knew he possessed. He bowed his head and two big tears stole down his weatherbeaten face.

"God bless you, Gib, my dear boy," he said brokenly. "You're a man."

At this juncture the king came up and thoughtfully felt of Captain Scraggs in the short ribs, while Tabu-Tabu calculated the precise amount of luscious tissue on Mr. Gibney's well-upholstered frame.

"Bimeby we eat white man," said Tabu-Tabu cheerfully.

"If you eat me, you bloody-handed beggar," snapped Captain Scraggs, "I'll pizen you. I've chawed tobacco all my life, and my meat's as bitter as wormwood."

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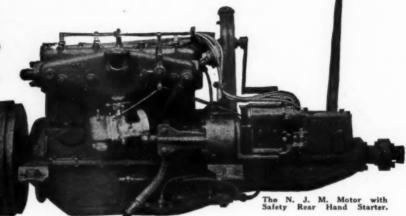


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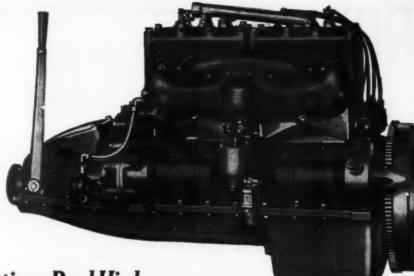
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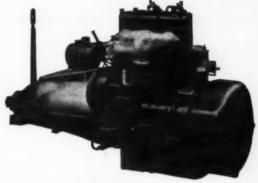
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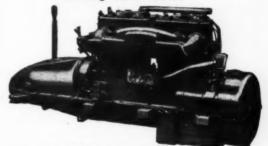
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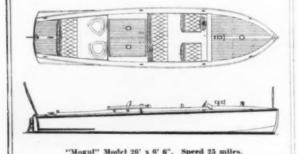
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#### Under the Jolly Roger

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It was too funny to hear Scraggs jesting with death. Gibney forgot his own mental agony and roared with laughter in Tabu-Tabu's face. The cannibal stood off a few feet and looked searchingly in the commodore's eyes. He was not used to the brand of white man who could laugh under such circumstances, and he suspected treachery of some kind. He hurried over to join the king and the two held a hurried conversation. As a result of their conference, a huge savage was called over and given some instructions. Tabu-Tabu handed him a war club and Mr. Gibney, rightly conjecturing that this was the official executioner, bowed his head and waited for the blow.

It came sooner than he expected. The earth seemed to rise up and smite Adelbert P. Gibney across the face. There was a roar, as of an explosion in his ears, and he fell forward on his face. He had a confused notion that when he fell the post came with him.

For nearly a minute he lay there, semi-conscious, and then something warm, dripping across his face, roused him. He moved, and found that his feet were free, though his hands were still bound to the post, which lay extended along his back. He rolled over and glanced up. Captain Scraggs was shrieking. By degrees the bells quit ringing in the commodore's ears, and this is what he heard Captain Scraggs velling: this is what he heard Captain Scraggs yelling:

"Oh, you McGuffey. Oh, you bully Irish terrier. Soak it to 'em, Mac. Kill the beggars. You've got a dozen of 'em already. Plug away, you good old hunk of Irish bacon."

already. Plug away, you good old hunk of Irish bacon."

Mr. Gibney was now himself once more. He struggled to his feet, and as he did, something burst ten feet away and a little fleecy cloud of smoke obscured his vision for a moment. Then he understood. McGuffey had a rapid-fire gun trained on the wari, and the savages, with frightful yells, were fleeing madly from the little shells. Half a dozen of them lay dead and wounded close by,

"Hooray," yelled Mr. Gibney, and dashed at the post which held Captain Scraggs prisoner. He struck it a powerful blow with his shoulder and Scraggs and the post crashed to the ground. In an instant Mr. Gibney was on his knees, tearing at Scraggs's rope shackles with his teeth. Five minutes later, Captain Scraggs's hands were free. Then Scraggs did a like service for Gibney.

All the time the shells from the Maggie II were bursting

All the time the shells from the Maggie II were bursting around them every second or two, and it seemed as if they must be killed before they could make their escape.

"Beat it, Scraggsy," yelled Mr. Gibney. He stood and picked up a war club. "Arm yourself, Scraggsy. Take a spear. We may have a little fighting to do on the beach." he yelled. Captain Scraggs helped himself to a loose spear, and side by side they raced through the jungle for the beach.

As they tore along through the jungle path Mr. Gibney's

As they tore along through the jungle path Mr. Gibney's good right eye (his left was obscured) detected two savages

crouching behind a clump of cocoa-palms.
"There's the king and Tabu-Tabu," yelled Scraggs.

"Let's round the begars up."

"Sure," responded the commodore. "We'll need 'em for hostages if we're to get that black coral. We'll turn 'em over to McGuffey."

"I'd better ease up a minute, sir," said the mate to Mr. McGuffey. "The gun's getting fearful hot."

"Let her melt," raved McGuffey, "but keep her workin' for all she's worth. I'll have revenge for Gib's death, or—sufferiu' mackerel!

all she's worth. I'll have revenge for Gib's death, or—suffering mackerelt."

McGuffey once more sat down on the cabin ventilator. He pointed dumbly to the beach, and there, paddling off to the Maggie II, were two naked cannibals and two naked white men in a canoe. Five minutes later they came alongside. McGuffey met them at the rail, and he smiled and licked his lower lip as the trembling monarch and his prime minister, in response to a severe application of Mr. Gibney's hands and feet, came flying over the rail. Mr. Gibney and Captain Scraggs followed. "I'm much obliged to you, Mac," said Mr. Gibney, striving bravely to appear jaunty. "One of your first shots came between my legs and cut the rope that held me, and banged me and the post I was tied to all over the lot. A fragment of the shell appears to have taken away part of my ear, but I guess I'll recover. We're pretty well shook up, Mac, old socks, and a jolt of whisky would be in order after you've put the irons on these two cannibals."

"You're two nice bloody-looking villians. aren't you?" was McGuffey's comment, as he surveyed the late arrivals.

"Which two do you mean?" inquired Mr. Gibney, with a touch of asperity in his tones.

"I dwren" received McGuffey. "It's pretty hard to disting

touch of asperity in his tones. "I dunno," replied McGuffey. "It's pretty hard to distinguish between niggers and folks that goes to work an' eats

with 'em."
" Mac," said Captain Scraggs severely, "you're prejudiced."

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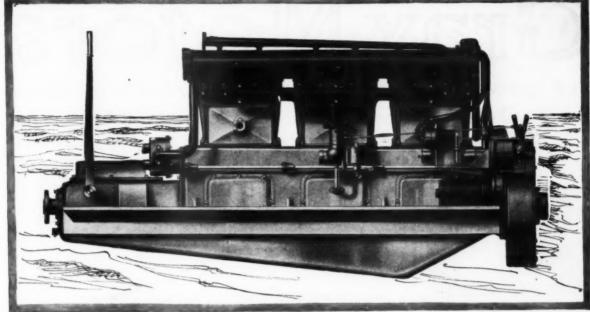
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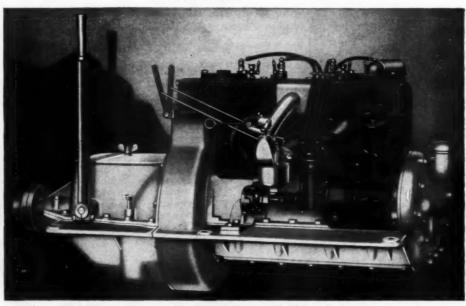
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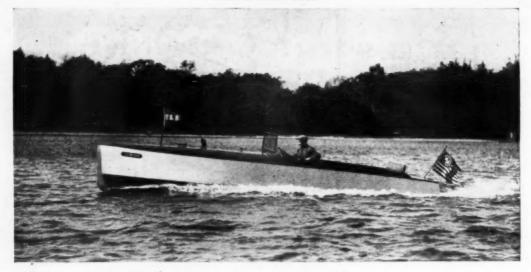
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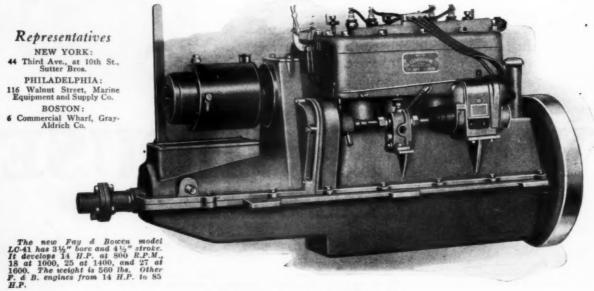
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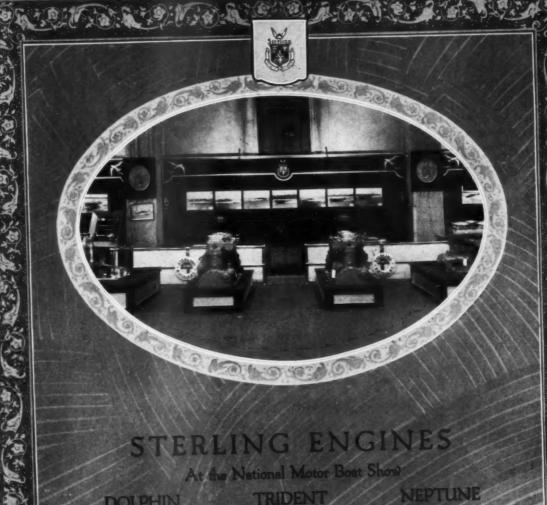
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